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CONGRESS IS NOW WRESTLING WITH PROHIBITION MEMBERS GIVE VOICE TO VARIOUS OPINIONS ON LIQUOR QUESTION

Washington, Dec. 22.—Under a special rule, which was adopted without a roll call, the house began just after noon today an eight hour debate on the Hobson resolution to submit to the states a constitutional amendment for national prohibition. An aye and no vote will be reached tonight.

Representative Hobson, author of the resolution, spoke supporting the rule. He said more than 6,000,000 people had petitioned congress for the submission of the amendment.

"If the details of the resolution are not satisfactory," he said, "let us amend them. What we seek is a scientific remedy for a deep seated scientific organic disease. We see a disease which is debauching our youth, through the national organized liquor traffic, in its search for profits. And we seek a remedy."

Support for the rule and opposition to the resolution was expressed by Rep. Lounsbury, of Wisconsin. He said the states had full power over the liquor question "and only a small minority had passed prohibition laws."

The passage of the rule was preceded by a statement by Democratic Leader Underwood and scattering debate on both sides. Mr. Underwood made it clear that the democratic leadership in the house was in favor of meeting the issue with a vote.

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NEW BANK SUPT. STARTS JOB JAN. 1

Columbus, Dec. 22.—George Walters, of Portsmouth, appointed by Governor Cox to succeed Emery Lattanner as state bank superintendent, will assume his new duties January 1. Mr. Lattanner resigned to become vice-president of a large Cleveland financial concern. Mr. Walters will receive a salary of \$5,000 a year.

Mr. Walters, who has served throughout the present administration as a bank examiner, is a republican.

NOT INTERESTED IN PATRONAGE FIGHTS SAYS PRESIDENT

Washington, Dec. 22.—President Wilson is disinclined to look upon differences with the senate over appointments as a patronage fight and told callers today the administration was concerned with larger questions.

Mrs. A. T. Marshall of Gallia

pile,

is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Practically all of the stockholders

WANT STATE "MOVIE" CENSOR LAW AMENDED

Columbus, Dec. 22.—Governor Cox today received from the state board of censors of moving pictures a letter complaining that the board finds it impossible to prevent violation of the new censor law, and recommending amendments of the law by the

XMAS CHEER FOR STRIKING MINERS

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 22.—Under the direction of the Rev. Christmas cheer for the striking Father B. A. McEachen, of Burton, miners in Eastern Ohio was assured Ohio, who has been active in rendering relief for the women and children. Other volunteers will distribute the packages in the villages to which they are sent, and it is planned to have the entire district of young women volunteers working covered by Thursday night.

CANCEL AUTO LICENSE TAX

Columbus, Dec. 22.—Applicants for automobile licenses will not have to pay the war stamp of 10 cents on each license as announced several days ago. State Automobile Registrar J. A. Shearer received a notice today from Revenue Collector B. E. Wilhkinson that certificates or licenses issued by the state would not be taxed.

WAVE OF CRIME HAS HOLD ON CLEVELAND

Cleveland, O., Dec. 22.—Police which began Sunday night and today rounded up 25 pickpockets, included the murder of Wm. J. Tracy, hotel proprietor, captured three men alleged to have been mortally wounded under Troy is still a mystery. Police today apprehended an alleged holdup man after he had robbed a man who registered at the storekeeper and two other citizens. Toledo Sunday night or early morning. These arrests were made in Monday but to whom no room had connection with a wave of crime been assigned.

"Million Dollar Bride" Arrested



MRS. KEITH DONALDSON.

COUNT YOUR ROLL, NEW COUNTERFEIT \$10 FLOATED

Washington, Dec. 22.—Discovery of a new counterfeit \$10 note on the National Park bank of New York City was announced today by U. S. secret service operatives. According to the official description the counterfeit bears the check letter "F, 27," the portrait of Wm. McKinley; charter number 891; bank number 257321; treasury number M 644594 and should be readily detected.

JEROME GIVES VIEWS

New York, Dec. 22.—William Travers Jerome was unprepared to say today when the legal machinery for the extradition of Harry K. Thaw from New Hampshire to this country would be put in motion. He indicated that he had reason to believe that Thaw's attorneys would start new habeas corpus proceedings in New Hampshire and that he feared it might be a long time before Thaw saw the inside of the Tombs prison where it is planned to keep him pending his trial on the charge of conspiracy to escape from the Mattoon state hospital for the criminal insane.

It was pointed out to Mr. Jerome today that once removed to the tombs, Thaw might be ad-

mitted to bail.

"If he is admitted to bail," said Mr. Jerome, "the superintendent of Mattoon will immediately present a detainer under which Thaw will be taken to Mattoon as an insane man, to await his trial."

Will start Fight To Establish Sanity.

Manchester, N. H., Dec. 22.—Harry K. Thaw soon will make another fight to establish his sanity in the opinion of several acquaintances. The opportunity they confidently expect, will be afforded when Thaw is returned to New York state to answer the indictment charging conspiracy to escape from the insane asylum at Mattoon.

Rule On Railroad Compensations

Columbus, Dec. 22.—In dismissing claim for compensation brought from Dayton, the state industrial commission today gave out an opinion that railroads and their employees engaged only in interstate commerce are subject to the provisions of the workmen's compensation act. The commission held, however, that roads doing both inter and intrastate business and their employees are subject to the law "only to the extent that their mutual connection with intrastate work may be clearly separable from interstate commerce." This applies only when such railroads and their workmen employed only within the state file written acceptance of the act.

London, Dec. 22.—It is only at the northern and southern extremities of the line of battle in the eastern arena of the war that any marked change is to be noted today; in the western theatre siege warfare of a most stubborn and laborious kind persists. This briefly sums up the situation both in the east and in the west today so far as has been disclosed by the official statement.

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conflict has yet to be fought.

Although the Russian center

has retired, it now has been reinforced and it is holding a line on the Dniester from its junction with the Vista.

Kaiser In

The West

Emperor William, according to the latest reports reaching here, has gone from Berlin to the western front. This would indicate, in view of British observers, that he regards the situation there more important and critical than in the east.

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NEW O. S. U. TRUSTEES

Columbus, Dec. 22.—Governor Cox today appointed two trustees of Ohio State University. They are Wm. F. Burdell, banker, of Columbus, a republican to succeed Walter J. Sears, of Columbus, and

Chillicothe, for a term expiring May 12, 1921; and John F. Cunningham, of Cleveland, managing editor of the Ohio Farmer, to fill the unexpired term of the late John T. Mack, of Sandusky who was to have served until May 12, 1915.



DEMOCRATIC SENATORS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Dec. 22.—Democratic senators-elect came here today with the expectation of holding a caucus to formulate plans for combatting a republican majority in the coming session of the legislature. Representative John Cowan of Putnam county, also was here and announced he probably would call a caucus of the democratic representatives for January 2.

RULES AGAINST SHIPPING
LIQUOR INTO W. VA.

Morgantown, W. Va., Dec. 22.—Judge George C. Sturgess in the circuit court today issued injunctions restraining the Baltimore and Ohio and the Wells Fargo Express company from delivering in West Virginia shipments of intoxicating liquor originating outside the state. The decision is based on the Webb-Kenyon federal act and the West state-wide prohibition law.

Ohio—Fair tonight and Wednesday except snow buries the lake.

Kentucky—Generally fair to night and Wednesday; not much change.



Every year I make a solemn well-intended resolution to do my Christmas shopping early. And every year about this time I find myself hustlin' around in much the same manner as before. We human goots are queer creatures. We're continually givin' ourselves wise and godly counsel which we almost never take. Here's th' weather:

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Toledo Aids Jobless

Toledo, Dec. 22.—Declaring an emergency, council Monday night transferred \$56,000 from the water works to the street department fund, instructing Service Director Boardman to at once give employment to all men work could be provided for.

Only Toledo residents who are able will be employed. "Floaters" need not apply. The city will do its utmost to provide immediate relief for its own workmen.

There are said to be upwards of 15,000 idle men and boys in Toledo. Relief stations are crowded and bread lines are long.

SENATOR WEST DIES

Valdosta, Ga., Dec. 22.—Former U. S. Senator William S. West was found dead in bed at his home early today. Physicians stated death apparently was due to apoplexy.

**Save
While You Give
Suitable Gifts
for
Men**

WOLFEE
\$10-15
SEE WINDOWS
315-317 Chilli St.

Y. W. C. A. NEWS

Come in and enjoy our Christmas of oranges, cranberries, preserves, tree with us. It is already up and jellys, etc., have been much appreciated and awaited its admirers, and those enjoying the dinner. The Y. W. C. A. home is beginning with us Friday will appreciate them to look festive in its Christmas also. It isn't too late yet, to telephone. A gift of several beautiful phone in to 112 that you will be with him bally wreath has added much. Gifts us for our Christmas dinner. If you can't come for dinner, be sure to drop in during the day, especially if you are away from home and lonely, for we are going to have a good time with games, songs, etc. (Come and see what the "ete" is.) The girls of the home are going to enjoy a passing party tonight in the living room.



Habits form when life is young, for the youthful mind is ever willing to receive—and RE-MEMBER, "In Childhood Days"—days filled with opportunity—that is the eventful time to teach the tot to save.

This sound Savings Company of Absolute Safety welcomes "young" accounts. If you wish to start your child on Life's Successful Pathway begin by depositing a dollar to the child's account and let "Santa" hand over the Pure Book gift on Christmas morning.

The Royal Savings and Loan Company
918 GALLIA STREET

Christmas Gifts

...from...

WILHELM'S

Will Always Be Appreciated and Recommended in Years to Come.

Diamonds A Specialty

W. L. Wilhelm

THE RELIABLE JEWELER

507 CHILLICOOTHE STREET. Opposite Post Office

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Veri Thin Watch

FOUR CAUGHT IN A RAID ARE FINED BY MAYOR

J. T. Wilson, Ernest Moore, Maggie Boyd and Mahel Shibley, who were caught in police raids late Monday night, were fined \$25 each.

All, save the Shibley woman, who were accused of loitering, had pleaded guilty to disorderly charges, and she failed to impress the court with her story. She had left her own home at the rear of the Pritchard auto garage, about 11 o'clock, to hunt up her husband, Joe Shibley, a steelworker, from whom she is separated. She went to the Biggs house corner, and looking up at the upper floors, saw a light burning in his room. She shouted for him, but receiving no response and feeling cold, she started back out Market street. Just as she was passing the Whitman Medicine Company's store a man appeared in the doorway and invited her inside, telling her to step in and warm herself, if she felt cold. She said she had been standing of a stove fire but a few minutes when Officer Harding entered and arrested her.

Officer Harding told of having been startled by a noise within the medicine store as he was passing by some time after midnight. He noticed a man trying to unlock the door and saw a woman dart back. Suspecting that she was trying to escape through a rear door, he ran around to the alley in the rear, and then returned to the front of the place a few moments later. An automobile was now there and one of the occupants shouting to him, demanded to know what business he had in the store. Harding found Mrs. Shibley in place and arrested her. A man whom he afterwards learned was named Ralph Lehner, succeeded in making a get-away. Capt. Cooper and several officers later raided the Shibley woman's home and found Miss Boyd and two men occupying one room. The man, it developed, was employed at the medicine store and had the keys to the place. Harding also identified him as the fellow who had demanded an explanation of him for entering the store room.

Miss Boyd admitted having visited the medicine store earlier in the evening.

Mrs. Shibley became faint while in court and was permitted the freedom of the premises until she had recovered from her attack.

The mayor did not mince words in telling her how disgusted he was with her, reminding her that she had a good husband who twice before had paid fines for her and would gladly live with her if she only deported herself properly. She, on the other hand, insisted Shibley had not provided for her and that she was obliged to earn her own living. All arranged for the payment of their fines.

John C. Parker, former night clerk at the Norfolk hotel, was bound over to the grand jury by the mayor in the sum of \$500. Tuesday morning, for alleged stealing a safe case and \$17.50 from that safe one night last September.

Attorney Joe Steagelin's failure to submit any evidence for the defense was held by the court under the new code procedure to signify the weight of evidence against the accused, and he availed himself of the right of the case. Mr. Steagelin also noted the point that the safe case had been taken from the hotel by a man who had joined a band of robbers, but to another person who had joined a band of robbers, the court ruled that view of these circumstances it really became the property of the band of robbers. Steagelin and Parker argued the law and the court made no decision.

Carl Kline, who had been granted a stay of \$150, pleaded guilty to retaining \$100 from Mrs. Rose Weston of East Liverpool.

Kline, who had been working at the Weston home, Mrs. Weston's employer, and that just as he was preparing to leave the house he was given a large sum of money, of which he kept \$100. He stated he had given the rest to the Weston in payment of wages, but that he shortly lost the money in a game of cards and was compelled to return the balance to the Weston.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Miss Ella Kelley, Deputy Great Commander of the Ladies of the Macabees of the World, arrived in Portsmouth at noon today to spend Christmas among her many friends here. While in the city Miss Kelley will be a guest at the homes of Miss Margaret McCoy, 1413 Offshore street, and Miss Lida Hornimark, 1516 Robinson avenue. Record Keeper of the Portsmouth Hive.

Mrs. A. J. McFarland will entertain the Sew and Sew Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Hutchins avenue.

HEALTHY CHILDREN

To keep children healthy in body and brain, correct nourishment is the law of nature—just as heat turns water to steam, so nourishment is nature's fuel for health and growth. Too often the digestive powers of childhood cannot procure enough nourishment for ordinary food which condition brings weakness, dullness and sickness, and nature needs assistance—then Scott's Emulsion is needed.

Every drop is medicinal food. Its rich cod-liver oil creates life-sustaining blood corpuscles to strengthen the organs and fibers and tissues throughout the body.

If your children catch cold easily, are languid, backward in studies, pale or frail, give them Scott's Emulsion—it sets in action the very forces that build sturdy frames and active brains.

Scott's Emulsion is free from whines, alcohol or unpeeling drugs—the best that money can buy. At any drug store, 12-21 Scott & Bowe, Bloomsfield, N.J.

In the afternoon, his haste to pack his clothes and the fact that he had money for pool playing were conclusive that he had robbed the woman and fined him \$10, besides ordering him to restore Mrs. Watson's money to her. Kinable valiantly protested his innocence and declared his guilt had not been established.

Messrs. R. L. Gilbert, E. D. Stevens and Harvey W. Miller are the committee in charge of the Elk dance to be held in the Elk parlor Ne Year's eve.

Miss Irene Pugh entertained a few friends this afternoon with a Kensington for the pleasure of her guests, Misses Berndette and Lillian McCrae, of Mansfield.

Frost Davis arrived home Sunday at the end of his trip in the interest of the Excelsior Shoe company.

Arthur R. Johnson, of Batavia, is coming up to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Johnson.

Mrs. A. G. Dunn, of Offshore street has been ill for several days.

Miss Rose Klink is coming up from Cincinnati Thursday to spend Christmas at the home of Miss Katherine Mueller, of Ninth street.

Mr. Joseph Waitz, of Trouton, will spend Christmas with friends in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Appel and family will be guests at dinner Christmas at the home of Mrs. Katherine Appel and the Misawa Appel, on Offshore street.

Miss Mary Holt and Mr. Fred Winter will go to Irionton to spend Christmas at the homes of Mrs. Otto Marting and Mrs. Walter Marting, where Mrs. Charles Winter is now visiting.

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We'll keep our Christmas merry still"

THE BANK CAFE

WILLIS WARD, Proprietor

The Finest Bar!

The Best Cusine!

The Most Elegant Pool Rooms in Portsmouth!

Christmas Punch,

Tom and Jerry,

Christmas Eggnog—Are Our Specialties

FINEST LIQUORS FOR HOME CONSUMPTION

WHISKIES

GLENDALE, GUCKENHEIMER
OLD LOG CABIN
OLD PEPPER,
SPRING GARDEN
MELLWOOD, SAM CLAY
GREEN RIVER, OLD TAYLOR
ASTOR BOURBON
LIMESTONE 23 YEARS OLD
125 DIFFERENT BRANDS
CARRIED

CHAMPAGNES

MUNN'S EXTRA DRY
CLICQUOT
WHITE SEAL
MOET & CHANDON
COOK'S IMPERIAL
BLACK TOP
POMMERY SEC
SPARKLING BURGUNDY

IMPORTED

THREE STAR
HENNESSY
COGNAC
THE
FINEST
EVER

FINEST WINES

ALL THE POPULAR IMPORTED
RHINE WINES
ANGELICA
CLARET
SHERRY
PORT
CATAWBA

SCOTCH WHISKEY

DE MARS
BLACK AND WHITE
ALL THE GOOD BRANDS
GINS
GORDON
OLD TOM
AND MANY OTHERS
SMITTLE'S CREAM ALE

BEER

DOMESTIC AND IMPORTED
PORTSMOUTH BEER
THE BEST BEER MADE
PIEL BROS.' REAL GER-
MAN BEER
ALL YOUR OLD-TIME
FAVORITES

Astor Bourbon Whiskey—Twenty-three Years Old
The Only Place in Portsmouth Where You Can Get Just What You Want

YOU ARE WELCOME ANY TIME!

AND YOU ARE ESPECIALLY INVITED FOR THIS SEASON OF GOOD CHEER

MERCHANTS' LUNCH 25 CENTS

THE BANK CAFE

OYSTERS IN ALL STYLES

NERVY DRIVER, AIDED BY RUNAWAY HORSE, GETS BEST OF 2 HIGHWAYMEN

James Pitts, a driver for Reilly Bros., commission merchants, had a thrilling encounter with two highwaymen at Star Yards, Monday night.

Pitts was returning from Sciotosville where he had delivered a wagon load of produce for his firm. He was driving along at a moderate gait when suddenly there sprang out of the darkness two men, one of whom seized the reins of his horse while the other attacked him with a club, at the same time trying to wrench his pockets. Pitts held an umbrella before him to ward off the blows the robber was raining upon him with a club and when this was broken seized a hammer he had in the wagon to defend himself, but this became unnecessary as the horse was frightened into running away and highwaymen were soon easily distanced. Pitts has a badly bruised hand and contusion about the face as marks of the battle. He had something over \$15 on his person at the time and is congratulating himself that the robbers failed to get a cent of the money.

Election Held By Solomon Council

Solomon Council, No. 59, R. & Preorder showed the affairs of the Council to be in a most flourishing condition.

A smoker and social session followed the meeting, which was well attended.

Don't take a substitute! People who have been doctoring the family for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis and all throat troubles with "Allen's Cough Balsam" for 50 years will tell you that no substitute will do the same work. What you want is to get rid of that cold and "Allen's Cough Balsam" will do it.

Brand New Money in Change. Smoke House, 829 Gallia Street. adv 22-3d-2x

LEG BROKEN IN FALL

Christopher Higgins of South Webster, fell 16 feet while getting ready to repair the roof on the Andrew Glein barn at Wheelersburg Tuesday afternoon and sustained a broken leg. Several farm hands carried him to the Glein home where Dr. G. M. Andre of Wheelersburg, and Dr. J. W. Hutchens of Sciotosville, set the broken bone. Higgins is married.

WILL HELP POOR

Following their annual custom the Fourth Street Methodist church congregation will supply the worthy with well-filled baskets on Christmas Day. All persons who wish to contribute to this commendable cause are urgently requested to bring any sort of foodstuffs to the church not later than Thursday morning and Wednesday night if possible.

A NEW KIND OF A GIFT

The giving of Merchandise Orders is a later day idea of the giving of presents for Christmas. No one wants to make anyone unhappy on Christmas Day, yet many people are unhappy by receiving gifts they do not want. Unless on are reasonably sure of what is required it is better to let the receiver do the choosing. Merchandise orders can be secured for any amount at the store of Hall Bros. in the Masonic Temple. You simply send or present the order to the receiver and he or she selects just whatever they want and you are relieved of the worry of shopping and uncertainty of pleasing a friend or relative.

MRS. LLOYD BADLY HURT

The many friends of Mrs. Ella B. Lloyd, mother of Mrs. John Peoples, will be grieved to learn that she slipped and fell Tuesday morning, dislocating and fracturing her right hip. Mrs. Lloyd, who makes her home with her daughter started to mail a letter and slipped on an icy spot on the porch. The injuries she sustained were promptly and successfully attended to, but Mrs. Lloyd will probably be confined to her home for several months.

The London Shop for up-to-date Xmas Goods, Neckwear, Hose, Comb Sets and Shoes. 22-3t

Case Postponed
Floyd Smith, who was arrested a few days ago on suspicion of having knowledge of the whole sale stealing of chickens still re-

ROBBED OF \$40; ACCUSES COMPANION ON A "LARK"

C. & O. BRIDGE BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE

Washington, December 22.—The House of Representatives passed a bill yesterday which will relieve the congestion of the Chesapeake and Ohio yards in Cincinnati and bring the coal fields of Kentucky and West Virginia into more direct communication with the market of the Great Lakes than via Cincinnati.

The bill, which the House passed unanimously, permits the Chesapeake and Ohio Northern to build a bridge across the Ohio river at Sciotoville, Ohio, the Ken, a tuckery terminus of which will be at Limeville, about 8 miles above South Portsmouth.

By the construction of 97 miles of railroad in Ohio, the distance required to get from the coal fields to the Great Lakes will be shortened 102 miles. It is the intention

HEAD WAS GASHED

Charles Zwickert, carpenter at the Sciotoville fire brick plant had small gash cut in his head Tuesday afternoon while working on a scaffolding. A piece of iron

boxing struck him.

FLORIDA

Passengers should bear in mind

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1 lb. fancy English Walnuts 20c; 2 lbs.

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Fruits! Fruits! Fruits!

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2 lbs. new Mince Meat, just opened,

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NEW BOSTON

Miss Stella Smith and Golda Maple have prepared an excellent program for Friday evening that is to be given by the members of the Christian Sunday school in the church. Everybody welcome. The children who are to take part in the entertainment have been practicing most every day and all have learned their parts quickly. Following is the program:

Prayer by the pastor.
Recitation, "Christmas Voluntary," Olive China.
Recitation, Darline Strutten.
Exercise, "Merry Christmas," Joanne Morgan.

Recitation, "A Christmas Wish,"

Exercise, "Christmas Workers" by six girls.

Song, "Little Stars," by fifteen girls.

Recitation, "Snowman," Owen Fitch.

Exercise, "Primer and Savior" by nine girls.

Recitation, Anna Marie Rieheson.

Recitation, "A Christmas Song," Carrie Poole.

Exercise, "Helping In Answer Prayer," two girls.

Recitation, "Guess Who," Hurley Hurley.

Exercise, "The Christmas Tree," five girls.

Exercise, "Just Before Christmas," three boys.

Recitation, Darlene Semones.

Song, "Holy Night," four girls.

Jack and Jill—Paul Granger, Delta Poole.

Mary the Contrary—Thelma Dailey.

Miss Muffet—Marjorie Hall, Red Riding Hood—Josephine Chin.

Simple Simon—Owen Fitch, King Cole—Ralph Elliott.

Jack Horner—Walter White, Little Boy Blue—Walter White.

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The children who are to take part in the Baptist program Thursday evening at the church, will hold their final practice Wednesday evening. The committee in charge is Mrs. Hazel Burcham, Mrs. Harley Flack and Mrs. Blanche Surtin.

Will Huff, Gallia pike plumber, is heartily in favor of the Municipal Christmas tree. He is going to do the electrical wiring free of charge.

Margaret Emmert of Gallia pike, received a large bouquet of orange blossoms from her friend, Miss Marjorie Trimmer of California, Monday.

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Although the business men are not responding as liberally as Mayor Davis expected, he is positive that the first Municipal Christmas tree in New Boston will be a glittering success. "The work will go right ahead as planned," said Mayor Davis, Monday evening. Small donations continue to come in each day. The Christmas tree will be trimmed Thursday evening. The platform will be erected Wednesday. Mayor Davis has purchased the ox for the barbecue and it will be roasting by Allen Adams. The barbecue will be given in connection with the Christmas tree as the tree is in front of the hall and the big feed will be in the town hall.

The electric lights in the town hall will have to be raised to make room for Clerk Thomas O'Neal's lengthy form. When he stands to read his reports and communiques the bright spot on his head comes in contact with the sharp point on the little incandescent bulb.

A street crossing is badly needed on Park avenue at the eastern end of East Rhodes avenue. Pedestrians have to wade in mud to their ankles to get across Park avenue.

The "Mother Goose" play contains characters of story book fame. Following is the cast and players:

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Friend is in the village visiting old friends. He left 18 months ago and is located at Plaine City, Medina county.

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The passing of three ordinances, two of importance, and the accepting of solicitor will thoughtfully that he would not be an applicant for the position of solicitor for next year constituted the main work of the council at New Boston Monday evening.

Mr. Allen Griffin of Ohio avenue, spent Sunday with her niece, Mrs. Pearl Beaumont of the city.

Mrs. Barbara Shumard, of Columbus, was a guest at the home of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Flack of Stewartsville.

Harry Gibbs, son of Deputy Marshal Will Gibbs, is recovering from an illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Anna Jenkins and son Louis, of East Rhodes avenue, left Monday to spend Christmas with their daughter, Miss Metta Jenkins in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Humphrey of Steubenville, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray DeWitt over Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin of Grant street, have named their new son Charles Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hirschman of Grant avenue, will spend Christmas with relatives in Long Meadow.

Ruth Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Sutton, of Rhodes avenue, received a slightly burned arm Sunday when she suddenly got against a hot stove at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Wesley Sutton, of Gallia pike.

The other bill came in the form of a communication from Attorney Philip Jacobs, who quietly informed council that they owed Joseph Snyder \$180 on a contract for the tiling of Gallia pike in 1913. The contract price was \$480 of which \$300 was paid. The remainder was held up, it being alleged the work was not being done according to contract.

Mayor Davis reported that he met the Clay township trustees last Saturday and that he thought all differences existing between council and their board would gradually adjust themselves. The bill of Druggist Ernest Cohen of \$70 for supplies furnished to the poor will likely be paid by the trustees. The bill was presented several times but was always turned down. The trustees informed Mayor Davis that it was up to the village to see that a man from New Boston was elected to the board of trustees. With a representative present in the village in all times the poor will be properly taken care of.

Solicitor Meyer reported that he had received a communication from Joseph McGhee of the Public Utilities Commission from Cincinnati, relative to the complaint registered by the village that the Portsmouth Telephone company was charging more for the phone service in the village than in the city. The commission had no right to fix a specific rate for telephone service and that the present rate

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WANTED: Chamber maid at Biggs House. 22-3

WANTED: Good cook at the Colonial; steady place and good wages. Mature aged lady preferred. Phone Y 463, 629 4th. 22-3

WANTED: House of any kind. Mrs. Gilford, 301 Mill, 21-3

WANTED: Any kind of house-work to do. Miss Slope, 901 Mill St., 21-3

WANTED: 4 borders. Phone X 1079. 21-1

NOTICE: The boy that picked my pocket hook up in front of my house return to Mrs. Rheinfrank, 1746 6th, Reward. 21-2

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LEW LOWRY: 22-3

FOR SALE: Turn folder and case boy, 2505 Gallia. 22-3

FOR SALE: Upright mahogany \$350 piano for \$100. Terms if wanted. Phone 82-1011. 10-1

FOR SALE: Country birds, Hart Mountain Rollers, 2117 8th, Phone B 43-193. 19-3

FOR TRADE:

A nice hilltop lot as part pay ment on a 5 1/2 ac 1 room house. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview Ave. Phone 1408 A. 19-1

FOR RENT: 4 room cottage on Murray St. Inquire 1833 Gallia. 19-1

FOR SALE: 5 room house on Highland, Large lot, Price \$2,250.00. Phone 629 4th. 18-1

FOR SALE: Tarponlins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, 18th Bldg. 24-1

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Nice 5-room house Offshore street, near Eleventh; water, gas, pantries, two cabinet mantels, etcetera. 2-story barn, street assessments paid; would trade; \$3,000 cash balance as rent... \$2,500

Nice 5-room cottage, water, gas, 3 mantels, slate roof. Fourth street near Sinton, 3 minutes' walk from post-office... \$2,000

Large 6-room house Mount street, near Grant; reception hall, bath, pantry, gas and electric light, front and rear porch; street assessments all paid, large lot, \$4,000 cash balance as rent... \$3,500

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Oats cash .516 1-1 3-1; Dec. 50

3-1; May 51 1-2

Rye No. 2, \$1.10

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Timothy prime cash and Dec.

\$3.37 1-2; Mar. \$3.45

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, Dec. 22.—Hogs—receipts \$5,000; firm; bulk \$7,000/cwt. 6.15; light \$6,800/cwt. 7.20; mixed \$6,800/cwt. 7.25; heavy \$6,850/cwt. 8.25; rough \$6,850/cwt. 9.25

Cattle—receipts 3,000; strong

native steers \$5,300/cwt. 10.00;

western \$5,000/cwt. 8.00; cows and heifers \$3,100/cwt. 8.15; calves \$6,000/cwt. 8.50

Sheep—receipts 20,000; firm;

sheep \$10,000/cwt. 6.10;

lambs \$6,000/cwt. 8.25;

PITTSBURG

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 22.—Hogs—receipts 45,000; firm; bulk \$7,000/cwt. 6.15; light \$6,800/cwt. 7.20; mixed \$6,800/cwt. 7.25; heavy \$6,850/cwt. 8.25

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Sheep and lambs—receipts 1,000;

steers \$3,750/cwt.; lambs \$8.60

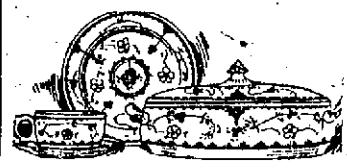
Calves—receipts 100; steady

top \$9.25

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, Dec. 22.—Hogs—receipts 2,800; steady; packers and butchers \$6,750/cwt. 7.25; common to choice \$6,750/cwt. 6.10; pigs and hams \$5,500/cwt. 7.00; slabs \$4,600/cwt. 6.75

Cattle—receipts 400; quiet



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and a small nutmeg, steam or boil hard boil, take it from the fire and pour it at once on the stiffly heated whites of the eggs, heating hard until it begins to thicken. Flavor with vanilla, or any other flavoring you like. If you wish you may put a third of a cake of unsweetened chocolate, grated, with it, when it begins to cook, or add nuts to it when it is done. Pour into a greased pan and cut in squares as you would other fudge.

Dear Dolly.—How should a girl of 17 comb her hair? I wear it pompadour. Is that style? LIZZIE.

Young girls should use the simplest coiffure possible. Hair parted in the side and fluffed away from the face, rolled or coiled in the back is good if becoming. Pompadour is also universally becoming, and is much worn.

Dear Dolly.—On what day did January 29, 1886, fall? DAVE. It fell on Saturday, but didn't get hurt very badly.

Dear Dolly.—What is going to be style in dresses as the basque is going out of style? RACHEL.

Long waist line, long sleeves, girdle, full skirts, are the definite desires of fashion.

Dear Dolly.—Will you kindly print a recipe for sea bean candy? MRS. S. B.

Sea Bean Fudge.—Three cups light brown sugar, 1 cup cold water, 1 tablespoon vinegar, whites of 2 eggs, vanilla to flavor. Slowly heat the sugar, water and vinegar together, not stirring after it begins to boil. When a little of it is dropped into cold water, makes a

Dear Dolly.—I have been going with a nice young man for three months, but he failed to show up Sunday night. What do you suppose is the matter and what shall I do?

FLORENCE.
Don't worry Florence, he'll appear on scheduled time the Sunday after Christmas. A lot of short-skirts do that this time of the year.

Dear Dolly.—I am a nice looking jolly girl of 16 and I want to know why it is that boys flirt with me when I go along the streets?

ROSEY POSEY.
I'm afraid you are not quiet and lady-like on the street, my dear. Boys never attempt to flirt with a girl who gives them no encouragement—at least they never attempt it twice. Never do anything to attract attention on the street. Loud laughing or talking or maneuvers that make you noticeable will give boys the impression that you are cheap and encourage them to try and flirt with you. Have your fun at home, if you like, but never act loud and boisterous on the street.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have had a set of white furs for three seasons and they are turning yellow. Have had them dry cleaned each winter, but it did not help any. Is there anything that will make them white again?

ANXIOUS.
Reliable furriers inform me that there is no hope of restoring yellow fur to white. It would do no harm to bury them in equal parts of corn meal, barley and salt and leave for several days.

Dear Dolly.—Please give me a recipe for Xmas plum pudding.

MUNNIE.
Twelve eggs, 8 oz. flour, 1-2 pound suet, one pound English currants, 1-2 pound brown sugar, 1-2 pound citron, a little salt, one pint bread crumbs, one pint flour.

Dr. and Mrs. King, of Cincinnati.

Miss Maudie McKerrigan is at home for a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. B. McKerrigan, and will have as her guest Mr. Gail Waite Curtis, of Wisconsin, who will spend the holidays here. Miss McKerrigan is field secretary to the American Institute of Child Life and has been spending some time in Chicago.

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Mr. Herbert Shumway, of Cincinnati, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Hines, on Timmons Avenue. Dr. Shumway will join her here for Christmas.

Mr. Francis Jacobs is here from Cincinnati visiting his family on New Fifth street. Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs' children will leave Sunday for Cincinnati to spend Christmas with Mr. Jacobs' mother.

This week's passing party of the Elks' Home League Club will be postponed until next Monday at the home of Mrs. Edithine Moore. A library program will be presented at 8 o'clock.

Scribner Reading Mrs. Robert Gresham.

Roll Call Christmas Sentiments, Remond, "A Christmas Story" Mrs. Chisholm.

Passing Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Klegel, of Cincinnati, will be the Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reigel on Eleventh street.

The Chippewa, of Sunday for Ashland, N. C., to spend Christmas with its master after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hildreth.

Miss Elizabeth H. Gillette will enter the 100th Anniversary of the One Hundred Club, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham will enter from Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Anna Roper.

Miss Anna Brightfield, of Cincinnati, is visiting her relatives on Olmec street.

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Scribner Reading Mrs. Robert Gresham.

Roll Call Christmas Sentiments, Remond, "A Christmas Story" Mrs. Chisholm.

Passing Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Klegel, of Cincinnati, will be the Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reigel on Eleventh street.

The Chippewa, of Sunday for Ashland, N. C., to spend Christmas with its master after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hildreth.

Miss Elizabeth H. Gillette will enter the 100th Anniversary of the One Hundred Club, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham will enter from Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Anna Roper.

Miss Anna Brightfield, of Cincinnati, is visiting her relatives on Olmec street.

Sold at the Best Shops.

Reed Powell is coming Thursday from Jackson to spend the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Doerr.

Mrs. D. A. Berndt has returned from a visit with relatives in Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doniphian Owen (Persia Purcell) of Lexington, Va., are coming to spend Christmas with Mrs. William Purcell.

The Charity Ball, to be given at Chillicothe, December 31st, will be for the benefit of the Chillicothe hospital. The committee in charge are Mrs. J. C. Douglas, Mrs. F. P. Hinton, Mrs. D. M. Musick, Miss M. P. McClintock, Miss Agnes Polk, Miss Carrie Sprout, Mrs. J. M. Brown, Miss Marianne S. Franklin, Mrs. Robert Herron, Miss Mary Kelvert, Mrs. Robert Evans, Mrs. A. M. Renick, Mrs. M. L. Roche, Mrs. Thomas Wood.

Several people from Portsmouth will attend the ball.

Rob Gillilan came home today from his Southern trip in the interest of the Excelsior Shoe company.

D. A. Melton of Cincinnati, will spend the holidays with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kinney arrived today from Cincinnati to visit at the home of Mrs. Kinney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Verner.

Mrs. Ross of Akron, is coming Wednesday, the 30th, to visit Miss Carlyle, of East Second street. Miss Carlyle and Mrs. Ross met on the vessel while returning from Scotland over a year ago.

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Graves Williams came home Sunday from University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., for his holiday vacation.

Mr. William Wanzer and daughter, Audrey, have gone to Cincinnati for a few day's visit.

Roswell Shumway, who has a position in Columbus, will come home Thursday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Shumway.

Miss Julia Sly has gone home to Shively, after visiting friends in Portsmouth for a few days.

Roy J. Taft, of Ashland, Ky., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Dawson, of Wheelersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Berndt will gather at their home to enjoy the Christmas party.

To make a disappointment in making this soup, your drayage for 24 oz. sugar, & don't forget anything else. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded goes with this preparation. The Piney Co. Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Parker and son, Carl, will go to Trouton to spend Christmas with Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. John Brownfield, and sister, Mrs. Carl Ray (Marry Brownfield).

William Kehrer, a leading merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, and wife are expected here January 1st for a visit to relatives. Mr. Kehrer will go South on a business trip, leaving Mrs. Kehrer here for a prolonged stay.

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ENDS SCRAP WITH A LOAD OF BUCKSHOT

Herbert Smith, colored, familiarly known as "Flop" Smith, was shot and slightly wounded by a discharge from a sixteen gauge breech-loader in the hands of Arthur Hicks, of 1125 Sixteenth street, about five o'clock Monday evening. The shooting occurred in front of Hicks' home, following a quarrel in which Smith is alleged by the gun-user to have been the aggressor.

Hicks voluntarily walked to the sheriff's office soon after the shooting, and gave himself up to the authorities. He claimed that the shooting was justifiable, and that an investigation would clear him of all guilt.

Smith was only slightly wounded, five buckshot taking effect in his right thigh and three shots in his right hand. The wounds are not serious, and he was up and around a short time after the

shooting. It was reported that he had left town, but he was seen around his old haunts in the North End late Monday night.

Hicks is a prisoner at the county jail, but no charges have been filed against him. His victim has taken no action against him, and the authorities expect to conduct an investigation of the affair before taking steps to prosecute the gun-user.

When seen Tuesday, Hicks evinced but little concern over the outcome of the investigation, claiming that it would prove that he fired in self defense. He gave the following account of the trouble to a Times man:

"My wife and I were upstairs in our home when Smith and William Sanders, another colored man, came to the front door and knocked. My mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Whisman, went to the door to see what they wanted. They told her that they were looking for Jim Arthur, my father's brother-in-law.

Says Wife Was Insulted

When she told them that he was not staying there, they became angry, and started to abuse her. My wife heard their language, and went to the upstairs window, and ordered them away, threatening to call the police unless they did so. Smith then cursed and abused her, telling her that if it was trouble she was looking for.

Dodged A Brick And Then Shot

"When Smith saw me coming, he picked up a brick and hurled it at me. The brick just missed me. He started for another brick, but before he had time to throw it I shot once. Smith fell to the ground as though badly wounded, and held there.

"I left the scene immediately and went to the barn where I helped my uncle until his team and put it away for the night. I then went to the sheriff's office and told the sheriff what had happened, and was locked up.

"I acted solely in self defense.

for Smith's actions showed plainly that he meant harm to myself and the members of my family. I am not at all worried over the outcome of the investigation, for I am sure that it will show that Smith was the aggressor all the way through."

Told About Threats

Hicks was asked if there had been trouble between him and Smith before the shooting. He said that he had heard that Smith and some of his companions held him responsible for the arrest of some of their friends for stealing coal from the N. & W. in the North End yards, and that they had said they were "going to get him for it."

Jim Arthurs, Hicks' uncle, the man whom Smith and Sanders were seeking when they came to the house, was released from the Ohio penitentiary about a month ago, where he had served time for breaking into a car in the N. & W. yards and stealing a quantity of tobacco, according to the prisoner, who added that Arthurs made his home with them until a short time ago. He plays a violin, and often accompanies Smith on a serenading tour, according to Hicks.

Hicks has always borne a good reputation, and has never been in trouble before he says. His victim is a police character, and has been arrested a number of times during the past year for fighting and other minor offenses.

No attempt was made Tuesday morning to apprehend Smith or his companion. Chief McArtal said that it was a matter for the county authorities to investigate, and that the police department was making no effort to sift the matter to the bottom. Sheriff Eddhart is in Columbus, and nothing will be done until his return.

To Cure a Cold In One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets. Stop the Cough and Headache and work off the Cold. Druggist and money if it fails to cure. R. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Lucky, 'Eh Harvey!

Harvey Isham, of near Elevation and Chillicothe streets, was one of the last persons to walk across the Scioto bridge before it was wrecked Monday afternoon.

In Cold Storage

The motorboat, Irma B., owned by the Brunner boys, was hauled up the river bank by the Interstate cable hoist and taken to winter quarters Monday afternoon.

Fresh Money in Change. Smoke House, 829 Gallia Street, adv 22-3d-2x

Skiff Service Was Brought Into Play

Contractor Henry Ruel pressed his skiff into service ferrying people between Pop Corn Point and the city Tuesday morning, pending the arrival of government papers permitting the ferry boat Bonne to operate.

Though the run of heavy ice continued throughout the night it failed to carry away any of the remaining portions of the temporary bridge and Mr. Ruel expects to begin work immediately reconstructing the structure. Once material is on the ground it will not take much over a week to complete the job. The Scioto was still half full of ice Tuesday morning.

Court of Appeals Gives Decisions

The common pleas court of this ed. and judgment against Tommo in county was affirmed in two decisions recently handed down by the turned by the jury. This verdict is from the court's decision. Mershon obtained judgment for \$8 by default, the amount claimed due him as Basham's portion of the amount paid to County Surveyor Grover Kinley for running a line on their premises.

LEGAL NOTICE

Charles W. Burke, whose last known residence was No. 37 Elm Street, Ithaca, New York, but whose present residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Ruth Chinley has filed her petition against him for divorce and custody of child, in

Case No. 13862 of the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, and that said cause will be heard on or after the 15th day of January, 1915.

MILNER, MILLER & SEARL, Attorneys for Plaintiff, adv Nov. 24-6 Tues.

PUBLIC SALE

The Norfolk & Western Railway Company will offer for sale to the highest bidder at their freight station, Lincoln and Ninth streets, city of Portsmouth, Ohio, Friday, January fifteenth, at one p. m., one carload scrap ironings with brass, shipped by Merchants' Steel & Supply Company, Chicago, Illinois, in CMA&SP 300000, transferred to CMA&SP 31930, consigned to Portsmouth Steel Company, Portsmouth, Ohio. Shipment arrived and consigned April 24, 1914.

Material will be sold to protect freight and other charges.

B. C. BUGL, Agent, adv. Dec. 15-1 Tues.

NOTICE

Charles W. Burke will take notice that on the 23rd day of November, 1914, his wife, Verma Burke, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being Cause No. 13820, praying for alimony for herself and the support of her minor children out of his property and real estate located at Wheelersburg, Ohio, stating as grounds therefor his wilful abandonment of her and their minor children.

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 30th day of December, 1914.

VERMA BURKE, Plaintiff.

Blair & Kimble, Attorneys.

adv. Nov. 24-8 Tues.

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Answer Is Filed

Abeel S. Major, named as defendant in a suit filed Monday by Kate M. Newman to recover judgment from Henry J. Brown and wife on a promissory note for \$1,000, filed his answer and cross-petition in common pleas court Tuesday afternoon, through his attorney A. P. Pardum.

In his answer, he sets forth that Brown is indebted to him in the sum of \$1586.57, balance due on a promissory note executed on December 26th, 1912, and secured by a mortgage on real estate belonging to Brown. He asks for judgment in that amount, and a foreclosure of the mortgage. Until recently Brown conducted a saloon on Tenth street with John Sudenfeld as partner.

Groom Is 17

Morris Hicks, Jr., son of Morris Hicks, Gallia street grocer, and Miss Myrtle Ellison of Hinton, W. Va., were married in Huntington, Monday. Hicks is only 17 years of age.

1000 patterns of Neckwear to select from at the London Shop. 22-21

Dynamite Will Goltz received a bad push on the head in bumping against a fire escape hanging suspended from the rear of the First Presbyterian Sunday school building in driving through the alley there Tuesday afternoon.

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BIRTHS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Second street, Saturday evening. Mr. Jones is employed as a window trimmer by the Criterion Clothing Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Albee Reiniger, of 1815 Sixth street, are the proud parents of a little sun who arrived at their home Sunday evening.

A new baby sun was born to Will Distel, a well known West End grocer and wife at their home on Madison street, Tuesday morning. The youngster weighs exactly 10½ pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pool of near Harrisonville are the proud parents of a son, which the stock left at their home Monday afternoon. Mr. Pool is a prominent farmer of Harrison township, and is well known in this city.

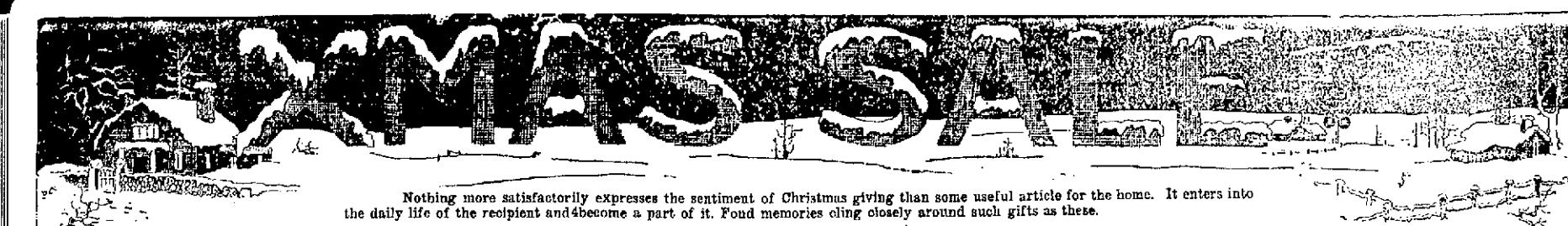
The Yuletide has brought a new baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Giesler, Jr. The winsome little miss arrived at their home on Fourth street Tuesday morning and Adam is now the proud papa of two girls and a boy.

A Test for Liver Complaint Mentally Unhappy -- Physically, Dull

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AFTER THE BISMARCK

It was learned Tuesday that William Frederick, who conducts a saloon on North Chillicothe street, was dickered for the Bismarck Cafe on Gallia street and the negotiations would likely be closed. In this event Mr. Frederick would give up his Chillicothe street saloon.



Nothing more satisfactorily expresses the sentiment of Christmas giving than some useful article for the home. It enters into the daily life of the recipient and becomes a part of it. Fond memories cling closely around such gifts as these.

If purchased at STEINKAMP'S, they require less outlay than the donor would suspect.

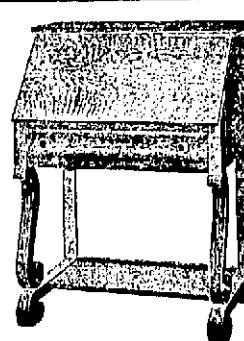
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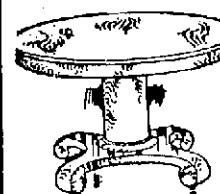
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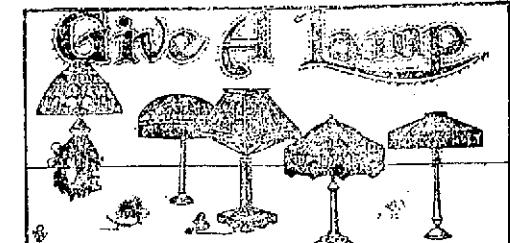
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Good News For West Siders; The Bonny Will Do Ferry Duty

Thermometer Takes Drop In This Case

The ferryboat Bonny will begin trips between the city and "Pep Corp Point" Wednesday morning, her owner, James P. Breunner, and Contractor Henry Rul having agreed upon terms.

The government papers for the Bonny permitting her to enter the ferry service at the Point, were expected to arrive from Cincinnati in Tuesday afternoon.

Constable Lau Seiling had his revenge in Square Byron's court Tuesday afternoon when he secured warrants for the arrest of the Bonny's two owners, which are beached on the river bank.

By the agreement entered into, the Bonny will make traps between the hours of 6 a. m. and 6 p.m. brought before Square Byron, who

for the present and operate until the first of January or until the bridge is reconstructed, last night Thursday afternoon at one o'clock.

Mrs. Martin is the woman who is said to have struck Constable Seiling over the head with a thermometer when he went to her house on Sixteenth street last week to serve judgment papers on her. Her son and Wishon are

said to have aided her in the attack upon the officer.

The Kings Move Into the City is the title of a special two reel picture by the Edison company featuring Marc McDermott and an all star cast at the Columbia this evening. This is a most beautiful picture and is sure to please.

The other picture on this evening's program is the second number in "The Hazards of Helen" series. It is entitled "The Plot At the Railroad Cut," and is filled with intense interest from beginning to end. Be sure and see this wonderful series of railroad pictures every Tuesday at the Columbia.

For tomorrow Manager Tynes announces "The Plum Tree" as a picture par-excellence. It is a

good snappy comedy. In addition to this long list of features Manager Snuttle is offering Saturday there is booked "The Perils of Pauline," and a healthy as they are striking. The narrative follows the hook very closely and is a masterpiece of the film art.

"Wages of Sin" At the Lyric.

"Wages of Sin" a strong dramatic production is the offering at the Lyric tonight. The old saying what's in name has considered influence on this figure. As the title signifies the picture gives promise of being an interesting and absorbing one, and it does not disappoint the spectators. Those who have witnessed the production pronounce it a consummate piece of acting.

Klaw and Erlanger staged the production and the fact in itself is a gold bond guarantee of the picture's thoroughness in plot and acting.

Wednesday's offering is Alice Joyce and Tom Moore in "The Price of Silence." The picture is also accompanied by a complete orchestra which greatly enhances the evening's entertainment.

Thursday's headliner is "Masks and Faces" a Biograph special feature and a dramatic masterpiece.

The Christmas offering is the

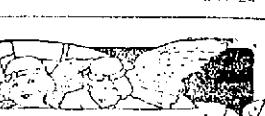
Nat C. Goodwin's "The Bachelor," "Paid in Full," "The Third Degree," "The Path of Duty," "Broadway Jones," "Two Men and a Girl," or perhaps the great "Unwritten Law."

THEATRICAL

At The Sun

After the Barrett Players have been here a week you will begin to accept them as a fixed institution," said a traveling man whose home is in Zanesville, Ohio. When questioned as to just what he meant, the drummer said that Mr. Barrett and his players had played two bills a week, twenty weeks engagement at one of the theaters in Zanesville against the vaudeville show and was a stiff kind of competition and vaudeville never had a losing week. "They were ladies and gentlemen, quiet in their private lives, don't attempt to mix until invited, put in their spare moments in study, and pay attention to details in every picture of every scene. That's the answer.

The Barrett Players will open an indefinite engagement at the Sun theatre Dec. 26th and will likely put on one of their many strong bills from this partial list.



Here From California

Mr. Kenton A. Miller, of Los Angeles, arrived in Portsmouth Tuesday noon and will be the guest over night of his brother, Attorney Fred S. Miller. From here he will go to Princeton, Lawrence county, where he will spend the Christmas holidays with his aged parents, expecting to return to Los Angeles next week. Mr. Miller was formerly a member of the law firm of Miller & Miller of Los Angeles, and Mr. Miller has become recognized as one of the leading attorneys in Los Angeles. He has made many successful cases in the past and Henry, of Akron, is expected to solemnize the ceremony.

Police After Carrington

Police received a hurry call to No. 1017 Washington street Tuesday afternoon to arrest William Carrington, who was reported drunk and abusing his vastly but dead.

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Teams P. W. L. Pct. 4 bunch was there in all sorts of angles and finished with a splendid average.

The scores made by the Times Specials and Wilson's Five were held down to bed rock, due to the number of splits tagged up at various times. However, the Specials kept plugging along and managed to roll a splendid total in their last effort. Howard and Bryant did the best work for the Specials while Walters excelled for the losers. The scores:

Team	P. W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson's Five	118	13	5
Kandy Kids	118	19	3
Times Specials	118	8	10
Play House	118	5	15
Total	572	422	277
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The teams in the Peerless league are now pretty well inched up, thank you, due to the result of the games railed at the Play House last night, when the Malayavos Kandy Kids took the Play House five down the sleek alleys for three in a row and the Times Specials fell upon the Wilson's Five two out of three. The Kandy Kids pulled on their slate stuff on alleys 4 and 5, while the Times Specials and Wilson's Five toiled on alleys 2 and 3. The Kandy Kids were all in for the merry last night, partitioning Wadless and Distel, who went through like time freights. Prediger, for the Play House

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Benjamin	141	201	174
Massfield	149	141	172
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BARRETT PLAYERS HAVE ARRIVED

The Barrett Players who will hold forth at the Sun theatre, opening Friday (Christmas Day) arrived in the city Tuesday. The company consists of sixteen players and comes highly recommended.

CANDY FOR THE CHILDREN, CHIFFONIER FOR PASTOR

Monday was a red letter day in the Holy Redeemer school, as Santa Claus visited it, and as usual showed the pupils with candies of all kinds.

Entertaining the role of old Kris Kringle, "Billy" Doyle, scout for the Cleveland American league team, made a bigger hit than his ever did in the ball field. His disguise was so complete that his two bright little sons, Paul and William, did not recognize their "dad," and told Santa what good boys they

would be, and how they would pray each night, and how they would mind "mamma." After 300 sacks of candy and nuts were distributed among the happy-faced children, Rev. J. E. McGuirk was summoned to the platform and Santa Claus presented the pastor with a solid mahogany chiffonier, the gift of the pupils of his school. It was a splendid remembrance and shows the width of the love the students have for Father McGuirk who was deeply affected by the gift.

Students of the Wheelersburg high school will give their own version of the "Merchant of Venice" Tuesday evening in Haugard's hall. The entertainment will begin promptly at 7:30 o'clock. The play is to be given for the benefit of the school, and is entitled "The Merchant of Venice Up-to-Date." Miss Louise Hause, principal of the high school, rehearsed the students for their parts.

Gold Knives and Chains are the newest thing to buy for a man at the London Shop.

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GOOD NEWS

A letter to Si Straus from his brother, who is located at East Liverpool, brings the good news that the Chester and Midland Steel and iron mills have resumed. Improvement is being shown generally in the steel world.

Bonds Approved

The bonds of Sheriff-elect E. W. Smith and Coroner-elect J. W. Daehler were filed with the county commissioners Tuesday afternoon, and approved by that body. The bond of Sheriff-elect Smith is for \$25,000 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as surety, while Dr. Daehler furnished a personal bond for \$5,000, with William H. Daehler, Daniel A. Daehler, L. F. Neudecker and Albert C. Daehler as sureties. These two officials assume office the first Monday in January.

POOR LITTLE BABY

City officials who were called upon to provide burial for a newly born child of Sam Kelly, of 111½ Kendall avenue, found the family in a terribly destitute state. They had just moved to the city from Kentucky two weeks before and seemingly not the slightest preparation had been made for the advent of the new baby, not even in arranging for a physician to attend the wife and mother. No mere squabbling surroundings could be imagined, the city doctors regarding the case as one of the worst that had ever come under their observation,

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WILL SEND CLOTHES TO MINERS

The members of Portsmouth Bartenders' Union are gathering up what old clothes they have and are assembling the supply for shipment to the striking coal miners of Eastern Ohio. They expect to send the large box Wednesday or Thursday.

FINE PROGRAM RENDERED

The musical program given by the students of the Portsmouth High school in the auditorium Monday night was a splendid success. The seating capacity of the lower floor was taxed. These entertainments are to be given once a month by the high school students.

Those who took part in the entertainment are to be congratulated on their fine showing. It is the first program of this kind given by the student. The entire program for the month of January will be given by the boys. Each program will contain ten numbers or more. The big hit of the evening was the piano duet by Miss Virginia Jones and David Jones.

The piano selections by Mary Brody, Mary Shee, Anna Morris, Helen Rardin, Mildred Purdon and Margaret Quinn brought rounds of applause. The violin number by Ruth Crawford and readings by Vaughn Finney and Adelaide Blaikie were also greatly enjoyed.

The London Shop for up-to-date Xmas Goods, Neckwear, Hosiery, Comb Sets and Shoes.

ATTENTION SCOUTS!
D Troop No. 1, of First Christian church will meet tonight at 7 o'clock. Carl Walker will give an illustrated lecture. Thirty minutes in gym work.

Will Plat His Ground

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Lewis' Hash Eaters Beat Kelley's Killers

Toiling along until the wee small hours of the morning Lewis' Hash Eaters and Kelley's Killers, the only two teams that compose the Noisy Bowling League held forth at the Play House alleys, Monday night and Tuesday morning, finishing their work at 12:45 with the Hash Eaters looking down upon the well picked remains of Kelley's Killers with all sorts of disdain and satisfied appetites.

Kelley's Killers started out as though they expected to "eat" alive but their feet began slipping in the second game and continued until the end, allowing the Hash Eaters to overcome the splendid lead the Killers secured in the opening contest.

It was a night of noise—the kind of noise you seldom hear and the kind that once sampled seemed to suffice for a life time.

The chief noise maker, of course, was Captain Butch Lewis of the Hash Eaters, who can qualify for the Comeback stakes at any time he wishes and without a thorough preparatory course. Captain Kelley was also a loud noise in the first game. He had but little to say thereafter, because several stitches broke in his bellows. Cutting out the loud stuff he attended to his knitting as an exponent of the great ten pin game and kept getting better as more stars appeared in the blue canopy of heaven.

Paul Davidson, lead off man for the Kelley Killers, had the supreme satisfaction of cutting into the \$200 million. He just got over and was so overjoyed over his performance that he had to be prompted in his last game, just like the little boy reciting that ever famous selection, "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight!" Will Crichton—well, there was nothing particularly wrong about Bill. He kept plugging along, noiselessly, energetically, and determinedly, and had the satisfaction of blazin' the way to a 170 total in his last game, thus proving beyond the shadow of a doubt that he has the nerve of the most commendable

variety. Eddie Strauss—well, 'twas the work of Eddie that east Kelley Killers the match. The popular clerk tried hard enough, but to save his standing in society, he could not get the total. Isndore Goodman Aye, me hearty, that but sure did bowl some. He was the bright and shining light, the anchor of hope and the pillar of joy. Look at his scores if ye believe me not—157, 177, 187—not so worse for a good bowler.

Harsha was as deliberate as a bride getting ready to leave on the arm of her father. He took as much time as the law allowed, but the mineralite refused to obey his mandates and he therefore failed to qualify for the brilliant stakes.

Capt. Kelley while not a Sampson did the best he could and kept getting "goader," but that was about the best that could be said for the popular general, by gawd!

Carmet Jaynes qualified as a Hash Eater and qualified strong. He led off in the murderous assault and helped himself to good totals. Thompson rolled for himself in the opening game and then substituted an alias—who, what and where deponeth sayeth not—but Eddie had better take a tip and have Mr. Alias around every evening a game is on. Floyd Miller, who delivers a ball like a newsy, does the Noon Extra showed as much determination as a fox terrier on a rat hunt and was finally rewarded with a 170 score. Guess the master of that score wasn't happy. Manager Mack of the Lyric was a host all the time. He started out with 150 and then showed that he was just getting warmed up when he whanged the ash for 167. Otto Maiter, with that street sweeper stride of his, hung up one good score, believing that that was all his captain could conscientiously ask for one evening. Captain Lewis looked like he used to when rolling with the Don't Worry bunch. He would hit, and then miss, then miss and then hit. He didn't care a rap, however, as he expected to leave

the burden to his men, who came through with colors flying and with enough pins to start a furniture factory. The scores:

"Lewis' Hash Eaters—

Jaynes	147	149	175
Thompson	99	171	182
Fauler	110	104	173
Mack	159	150	167
Maiter	115	167	120
Lewis	120	157	124

Totals 750 901 941

Kelley Killers—

Davidson	159	201	141
Crichton	137	143	170
Strauss	99	104	135
Goodman	157	177	187
Harsha	147	107	146
Kelley	101	110	136

Totals 800 842 915

HUGGINS TO GET BECK

St. Louis, Dec. 22.—Zion Beck, pitcher of the St. Louis Cardinals, has been declared the property of the latter by the National Commission, after a controversy with the Detroit team.

Miller Huggins is delighted over the decision, for Beck has developed into a star shortstop and third baseman,

and is no slouch at second.

TOUGH FOR TOMMY

According to a story from Chicago, Tommy Leach beat himself out of the management of the Cubs by trying to use the Federal League as a club to exact a three-year contract of \$10,000 a season. Charles P. Taft, it is said, had decided upon Leach as O'Day's successor, but for the sake of harmony had made no intimation of his choice. Macmillan professed by Tommy's mistake,

Few Conflicts In The 1915 Schedule

Chevrolet, Dec. 22.—The schedule of the National League for 1915 will follow closely that of 1913, the Pittsburgh Pirates will open in Chevrolet for a series of four games. The Western clubs will all play four games in their first series, while the Eastern clubs will play only three games, leaving the first Saturday of the season for a change of combatants. The late closing date in the East is due to the fact that Sunday ball is not played in that section, and so all Sundays are holidays for the Eastern clubs, while the Western clubs all play in the first day of the

week. The Western teams are therefore able to finish their schedule four days earlier than the Eastern teams.

The Western teams this year will go East in May, July and August, while the Eastern clubs will come West in June, August and September.

There will be only five conflicts with American League clubs, and all five are Sunday dates in Chicago, where the two parks are so widely separated that neither club suffers much from opposition.

There will be no conflicts in St. Louis and none in any of the Eastern cities.

HUSTON AFTER ALMEIDA

As soon as Captain Huston gets things going smoothly with his New York Americans, so the tip is given, he will try to coax Rafael Almeida back to the game. Captain Huston is a great admirer of Almeida, and is positive that Don Rafael, rightly managed, will be a whirlwind in the American league. Arrangements to extricate Almeida from the Montreal club's reserve list will be made. If Rafael wishes to come back to the game, and Almeida, as a regular with Highlanders, should prove all that Captain Huston hopes he will.

BOXING IS TO FLOURISH DOWN IN NEW ORLEANS

Now that the voters have vanished to successful as well as surprising distances in the Pelican state and ring fixtures is featured with many interesting characters of star bouts which were delayed in the vicinity of New Orleans. Even more the Crescent City bids fare to make an announcement possibly before tonight, that the deal has been of the Chicago Americans, and closed. The league has agreed to "Kid" Gleason, coach of the Chicago Mears. Ruppert and Huston in cigar clubs also were reported to be bolstering up the club, which I can under consideration, as was Connie safely say will be the strongest that Mack, manager of the Philadelphia has represented New York in the club.

Colonel Jacob Ruppert and Captain T. L. Huston, the prospective purchasers of the New York club, pitcher with the Detroit club, was

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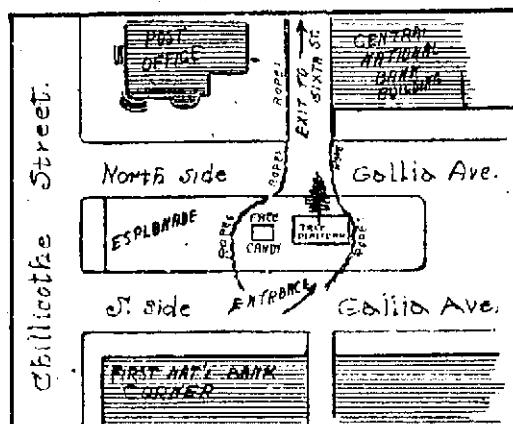


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program, the candy will be distributed among the children, all of whom, ten years, or younger, in the city are included. The committee issues a cordial invitation to all children, rich and poor alike, for the celebration is intended for all of them.

It is the desire of the committee in charge to distribute the presents with as little confusion as possible, and everyone can assist in this effort if they will direct the children to pass to the south of the square and march past the tree, finding an exit through the alleyway in the rear of the post-office to Sixth street. No child will be permitted to pass the tree from the opposite direction. Fifty guards will be stationed on the square to assist in handling the crowd.

The distribution of the presents will begin as soon as the singing starts and will continue until every child present has been taken care of. Ample provision has been made to insure plenty for each child present, so the committee requests that the children move slowly in the right direction and prevent any confusion or possible injury.

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CONGRESS DEBATES

(Continued from Page 1)
when it may be a serious menace to the principles of government which you and I believe in. When the times comes to face a great question there is but one way to face it. That is in the open. You cannot push it aside."

Interstate Nuisance Says Hobson

The debate on the rule had been a running desultory fire, but with consideration of the resolution itself the real heavy artillery was unlimbered. Mr. Hobson led off with an earnest and dramatic demand for its passage. He declared a state had a right to be "dry" that the liquor business was an "interstate nuisance" and that there had never been a serious conflict between federal and state laws for protection of the morals of the people. He portrayed the devastating effect of liquor, "a habit forming drug whose shackled victims," he said, "today numbered 3,000,000 people."

"It shortens life and blights the offspring," he said, "and brings hundreds of thousands of people to drunkards' graves each year. It blights the lives of people before they are born."

Cited Kansas

As An Example

Representative Hobson referred to the graphic charts portraying the evils of the liquor traffic and after speaking only 10 minutes himself began to yield time to other members who spoke in support of his resolution.

Representative Conley supported the amendment declaring prohibition had been a success in Kansas and Representative Morgan of Oklahoma, also supported it, referring to prohibition in his state.

Representatives Decker, Tribble, Longley, Logue and Bell (California) made brief speeches in favor of the amendment. Representative Ferris, of Oklahoma, made a vigorous plea for it.

"I am for national prohibition because I believe it will do most good," said he. "Which tags the stronger at your heart strings, the churches that are trying to save your boy, or the liquor interests that are trying to ruin your boy?"

Mr. Underwood then, speaking for the resolution directly, opposed it. "This is not a moral issue," he said. He declared he favored county option and that the plan had worked in Alabama. "I cannot concur myself," he said, "in a proposal to rob the individual states of police powers guaranteed them under the constitution."

Representative Pau, of North Carolina, speaking against the rule, said:

Fighting Controversy Of Lengthy Issue

"I believe we are fighting the

fires of a controversy which will burn in this country for a generation. In my judgment there is not a man in this hall who will be alive when the last state ratifies this amendment."

He said he favored prohibition but believed "the state is the largest unit in the enforcement of a prohibition law."

Representative Kent, of California, argued that the states were competent to deal with the question without federal interference.

Representative Conley, of Maryland, opposed the proposal because of loss of revenue.

Representative Howard, of Georgia, announced his intention of supporting both the rule and the resolution.

"The loss of revenue will be more than made up by the money saved in the administration of justice by sobering up the people of this country, from one end to the other," said he.

Argument against the rule and against the resolution was made by Representative Cantrell, of Kentucky.

"I think this is the most intemperate measure that has come before this house for years," he said.

Representative Kelly, of Pennsylvania, progressive member of the rules committee, supported the rule and resolution.

Buy Register

Anderson Brothers purchased a National cash register of the latest design Tuesday from the local agent, Joseph Herzsturm, and it was installed immediately in one of the departments of their big store.

THE NEW SUN

MERRY
XMAS
OFFERING

FRIDAY, DEC.
MATINEE
And NIGHT 25

H E The BARRETT PLAYERS

Presents Winchell Smith's Greatest Play

"The Fortune Hunter"

By special arrangement with Cohen & Harris

BARRETT PLAYERS will play two bills each week
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY "THE FORTUNE HUNTER"
28, 29, 30 "MAN ON THE BOX"

PRICES: NIGHT AND HOLIDAY MATINEES 10, 20, 30 AND 50 CENTS.
MATINEES, MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND SATURDAYS 10 and 20c
RESERVE SEATS FOR XMAS, MATINEE AND NIGHT

TONIGHT RAYMOND TEAL'S MUSICAL COMEDY CO.
PRESENTS "FINNIGAN'S ALLEY"

THE COUNTRY STORE

PRICES 10, 15, 20, 25, 30 Cents

DIRECTORS ORGANIZE

Directors of the Masonic Club, who were chosen several weeks ago, met Monday night and effected an organization as follows: D. A. Grimes, president; Henry Scott, first vice president; William Zottman, second vice president; and John Ives, secretary. The annual report showed the affairs of the club to be in splendid shape.

Pipes Burst See Walters Plumb-
adv

Moose dance Christmas Eve,
adv 21-11

Jacob Hammerstein, an aged Pine Creek farmer, is at the point of death at his home on the Powellsburg pike and all relatives have been summoned to his bedside, among them a daughter, Mrs. Martin Soherer, of Munn's Run. Mr. Hammerstein, who is suffering with a general breakdown, celebrated his 50th wedding anniversary some years ago.

839 Gallia Street

Extraordinary SALE

A \$10,000 stock of good merchandise has been put in my charge to dispose of at greatly reduced prices. This stock comprises Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Suits. Also Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloaks, Suits and Dresses and Furs. I will sell this lot of merchandise for the cheapest prices ever known to turn it into cash at once.

\$20.00 MEN'S AND BOYS' OVER-COATS	\$7.50	\$25.00 LADIES' COATS	\$10.00
\$15.00 MEN'S AND BOYS' OVER-COATS	\$5.00	\$15 and \$20 LADIES' COATS	\$7.50
\$20.00 SUITS	\$7.50	\$10 CHILDREN'S COATS	\$3.50
\$15.00 SUITS	\$5.00	\$10 and \$15 VOILE SKIRTS	\$3.50

Also 1,000 Wash Dresses and Jacket Suits in Linen, Ratine and Voile for
each

one lot of Ladies' Linen and Pongee Silk Automobile Coats for
each

Come and inspect this lot of merchandise and you can't help but buy. Open for business now.

S. C. WINTERS

Manager

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In the Xmas Stocking! Furniture! Half Price!

Tonight and Two More Days of the Big Sale-Wednesday and Thursday!

20 PER CENT OFF ON STOVES!

	Library Tables	GO-CARTS	DINING TABLES	
\$26.00 to \$13		\$36.00 to \$18	\$62.00 to \$31	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$26.00 to \$13	\$46.00 to \$23	
\$28.00 to \$14		\$24.00 to \$12	\$29.00 to \$14.50	
\$24.00 to \$12		\$17.50 to \$8.75	\$24.00 to \$12.00	
\$18.00 to \$9		\$4.50 to \$2.25	\$18.00 to \$9.00	
\$14.00 to \$7			\$11.00 to \$5.50	
	Combination Book Cases			
\$46.00 to \$23		\$26.00 to \$13		
\$40.00 to \$20		\$24.00 to \$12		
\$36.00 to \$18		\$17.50 to \$8.75		
\$24.00 to \$12		\$4.50 to \$2.25		
\$18.00 to \$9				
\$14.00 to \$7				
\$12.00 to \$6				
	Parlor Suites			
\$136.00 to \$68		\$11.00 to \$5.50	\$70.00 to \$35	
\$76.00 to \$38		\$15.00 to \$7.50	\$50.00 to \$25	
\$36.00 to \$28		\$23.00 to \$11.50	\$42.00 to \$21	
\$46.00 to \$22		\$29.00 to \$14.50	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$18.00 to \$12		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
\$14.00 to \$7		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$12.00 to \$6		\$68.00 to \$34.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
	BUFFETS			
\$18.00 to \$9		\$8.50 to \$4.25	\$70.00 to \$35	
\$24.00 to \$12		\$9.50 to \$4.75	\$50.00 to \$25	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$15.00 to \$7.50	\$42.00 to \$21	
\$42.00 to \$21		\$15.00 to \$7.50	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$68.00 to \$34		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
	COUCHES			
\$36.00 to \$18		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$70.00 to \$35	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$50.00 to \$25	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$42.00 to \$21	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$28.00 to \$14.00	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
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\$36.00 to \$18		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
\$36.00 to \$18		\$68.00 to \$34.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
	CHINA CLOSETS			
\$23.00 to \$11.50		\$8.50 to \$4.25	\$70.00 to \$35	
\$37.00 to \$18.50		\$9.50 to \$4.75	\$50.00 to \$25	
\$45.00 to \$22.50		\$15.00 to \$7.50	\$42.00 to \$21	
\$28.00 to \$14.00		\$15.00 to \$7.50	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$32.00 to \$16.00		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
\$21.00 to \$10.50		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$37.50 to \$18	
\$42.00 to \$21.00		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
\$21.00 to \$10.50		\$68.00 to \$34.00	\$32.00 to \$15	
	CHIFFONIERS			
\$11.00 to \$5.50		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$28.00 to \$14.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$68.00 to \$34.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	KITCHEN CABINETS			
\$11.50 to \$5.50		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$18.50 to \$9.25		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$22.50 to \$11.25		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$28.00 to \$14.00		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$32.00 to \$16.00		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$36.00 to \$18.00		\$28.00 to \$14.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$42.00 to \$21.00		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$48.00 to \$24.00		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$68.00 to \$34.00		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	FINE DRESSERS			
\$11.00 to \$5.50		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$15.00 to \$7.50		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$23.00 to \$11.50		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$29.00 to \$14.50		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$35.00 to \$18.00		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$42.00 to \$21.00		\$28.00 to \$14.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$48.00 to \$24.00		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$68.00 to \$34.00		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	DAVENPORTS			
\$13.00 to \$6.50		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$18.00 to \$9.00		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$21.00 to \$10.50		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$26.00 to \$13.00		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$32.00 to \$16.00		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$38.00 to \$19.00		\$28.00 to \$14.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$44.00 to \$22.00		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$50.00 to \$25.00		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$56.00 to \$28.00		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$62.00 to \$31.00		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	DINING TABLES			
\$12.00 to \$6.00		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$16.00 to \$8.00		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$20.00 to \$10.00		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$24.00 to \$12.00		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$28.00 to \$14.00		\$23.00 to \$12.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
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\$50.00 to \$25.00		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$56.00 to \$28.00		\$48.00 to \$24.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	LEATHER ROCKERS			
\$14.00 to \$7.00		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
\$18.00 to \$9.00		\$17.00 to \$8.50	\$18.00 to \$9	
\$22.00 to \$11.00		\$18.00 to \$9.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$28.00 to \$14.00		\$20.00 to \$10.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
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\$44.00 to \$22.00		\$32.00 to \$16.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$50.00 to \$25.00		\$36.00 to \$18.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
\$56.00 to \$28.00		\$42.00 to \$21.00	\$20.00 to \$10	
	ROCKERS			
\$70.00 to \$35		\$12.50 to \$6.25	\$12.00 to \$6	
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Piano Sale



Genuine Reduction
Ten Per Cent Off
For 30 Days

In all the years I have been in the piano business I have never advertised a reduction as I considered it was already selling as near as possible to wholesale price with cost of collections and other expenses added.

Come in and see how a piano or player piano would look and sound in your own home.

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Upright Pianos \$145.00 and
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WILL LAST
LONGER IF
YOU GIVE OR GET

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WHO WANTS A BOY?

Who wants a boy, full
grown and active, for a
Christmas gift?
If you are in the market for
a boy, one about 14, and a
hustler, get in communication
with The Times, and act at
once, because there probably
will be several applicants.
This boy is 14 years old.

He is left without a home, and
wants to stay in Portsmouth.
He has made from \$2.50 to \$3
a week for the past year, and
expects to keep it up while
going to school. He is willing
to give all his earnings to
any one who will give him a
good home.
Satisfactory facts can be

given by The Times concerning
this boy's parentage, and
references will be given to
those who are familiar with
his everyday life, and who
give him a splendid recom-
mendation.
Call up The Times, No. 33,
and leave your name, or
write, if you are interested in
securing a boy.

FORMER SALOON MEN
DEFENDANTS IN SUIT

Suit to recover judgment for
\$500 from Sudentfeld and Brown,
Former North End saloonists, has
been filed in common pleas court
by J. P. Purdon, representing Al-
bert S. Maier local brewery agent.
He claims the defendants, John and
Henry Brown, executed to him on June 20, 1914, of poor business.

CITY GETTING DIRECT WATER SUPPLY

The new city pumping station is supplying the city with water
by pumping direct to the city instead of through the reservoir.
This arrangement was decided upon to permit the patching
of some leaks in the reservoir in which no water will be stored
until the work is completed.

CLAIMS HER NAME WAS FORGED

Mrs. Tilden Skaggs has written a letter to Mayor Frick dis-
claiming all responsibility for the letter of a few days ago in which
she was supposed to make a claim for money alleged to be due her
for her husband's working out a fine. She says that someone
must have forged her name.

Church Pictures

Three splendid films and pictures of the European war were
shown in the Sunday school room of the First Presbyterian Sunday
school room Monday night, and the attendance was very large, the
capacity of the room being taxed. Two shows were given, the second
being over at 8 o'clock. The pictures were unusually clear and distinct
and were greatly enjoyed.

STORES OPEN IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE
TO ACCOMMODATE ARMY OF SHOPPERS

Local merchants report splen-
did business Monday night, the
streets being filled with shoppers
until a late hour. The stores will
be open until 10:30 each night un-
til Christmas. The streets took on
a busy Saturday night aspect last
night, Christmas shopping reaching
a high tide.

PRACTICALLY FREE OF CONTAGION

Dr. W. W. Smith, the city health officer, Tuesday discharged
three of the five cases of contagion in the city. The remaining two
will be discharged before Christmas. The general health of the
city is splendid, says the doctor.

WILL BE WITH YALE
TEAM NEXT SEASON

H. A. Marting, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Frank L. Marting, arrived
home Monday from New Haven
and will be here until after the
holidays.

Mr. Marting, who earned his
"Y" at Yale last year, was one
of the line coaches at the New
Haven school this year and has a
contract to look after this work
next year. Mr. Marting is re-
garded as one of the best coaches
Yale ever turned out and this
famous school has given some
wonderfully clever and resource-
ful centers to the football world.

Mr. Marting is thoroughly
familiar with every angle of the
football game and he rendered
valuable service to the Yale eleven
this year, the team doing well
considering the fact that it was
in "green" line. Mr. Marting is

MEAT INJURIOUS
TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back
hurts or Bladder bothers—Meat
forms uric acid.

We are a nation of meat eaters and
our blood is filled with uric acid, says a
well-known authority, who warns us to
be constantly on guard against kidney
trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free
the blood of this irritating acid, but
become weak from the overwork; they
get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog
and thus the waste is retained in the
blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like
lumps of lead, and you have stinging
pains in the back or the urine is cloudy,
full of sediment, or the bladder is irri-
table, obliging you to seek relief during
the night; when you have severe head-
aches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleepless-
ness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad
weather, get from your pharmacist about
four ounces of Jad Salts; take a
tablespoonful in a glass of water before
breakfast each morning and in a few
days your kidneys will not ache. This
famous salts is made from the acid of
grapes and lemon juice, combined with
lithia, and has been used for generations
to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys,
neutralize the acids in urine so it is no
longer a source of irritation, thus
easing urinary and bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot
injure; makes a delightful effervescent
lime-water drink, and nobody can make
a mistake by taking a little occasionally
to keep the kidneys clean and active.

Is Filling
Shump's Place

Will Holl is filling a temporary
position as bartender at Theo. Pier-
son's cafe during the illness of
Shump Staiger.

Absecess On Jaw

John Kountz, a city water
works fireman, has been off duty
for several weeks, suffering with an
abscess that has formed on his right jaw.

ROLLER COASTERS GIVEN AWAY

There is nothing that would please a small boy for Christmas
Gift more than a Roller Coaster, they afford enjoyment and at the
same time are beneficial to a boy's health. A Roller Coaster will
be given to every boy who makes a purchase of a suit or overcoat
at Hall Bros. Store in the Masonic Temple. If the boy does not
want a Roller Coaster he may have a School Companion Box instead.
Either of these articles make a nice gift for a boy. A good
pocket knife is given also with every pair of boy's shoes purchased,

SCHOOLS CLOSE DEC. 23, RESUME JAN 4

The public schools will be idle from Wednesday evening Decem-
ber 23 to Monday morning January 4 when the Christmas vaca-
tion ends. As usual exercises in keeping with the joyous Yule-
tide spirit will be held in the various school buildings and the pin-
ples no doubt will get their annual "treat."

PLEASANT GREEN CHURCH NOTES

Pleasant Green Baptist Sunday
School will entertain with a play,
entitled "A Search for Santa
Claus" on Christmas night, Dec.
25th. Come out and see the lit-
tle folks in their different cos-
tumes and splendid parts in each
act and you will enjoy the pro-
gram from beginning to end.

The Baptist Young People's
Union of the Pleasant Green Bap-
tist church will produce the play,

"Dr. Curt AU," on Tuesday eve-
ning, Dec. 29th. This lively play
of three acts carries with it many
interesting features. All are in-
vited. Refreshments will be
served.

Quite a few splendid repairs
were made on the parsonage of
the Pleasant Green Baptist
church the past week.

ALLEN CHAPEL NOTES

It was stated Monday that Arch-
itect Arthur Devoss would super-
vise the building of the new
\$25,000 Sunday school building
the German Evangelical congre-
gation will build on their property
on Fifth street. Work is to be
started at once.

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The report showed that nine
members had been added to the
church during the quarter and four
children baptized.

The District Conference will be held in Circleville, Ohio, in April.

The Sewing Circle will serve a fine
Xmas supper Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Pauline
White on north Waller street. Everyone is invited.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. All members are requested
to be present.

Xmas mornng at 6 o'clock
prayer meeting, and at night a
grand entertainment will be given
by the Sunday school. The children
will receive the best presents
ever given by the school. All persons
who intend to have their
presents on the tree are requested
to bring them Xmas day.

The Christian Endeavor will
entertain the young men and women
next week at the home of the
president, Mrs. I. C. D. Anderson.

Last week the Juniors were ent-
ertained at the home of Mrs. Vie-
tor Penman and the little folks
were more than delighted.

Watch night will be observed,
and on New Year's night the Jun-
ior Stewardess will give the best
concert of the season. Don't miss
this one.

Brand New Money in Change.
Smoke House, 820 Gallia Street.
adv 22-3d-2x

MAYOR HAS
CHECK

The mayor is in receipt of a let-
ter from the First National bank at
Huntington enclosing a \$10 check
which he cashed.

The check is that recently given
as a bond by one A. G. Blake, who
had been arrested on a disorderly
charge. The letter states that
Blake once had an account with the
bank but no longer has any funds
there and that he had been dissip-
ating considerably. Nothing more
was ever seen of the man after his
release here.

Well Dig Up
Your Hoods

The police have not yet received
the winter caps ordered some time
ago, and Safety Director Jos. Lake
and Chief W. T. McCarthy, at a con-
ference Monday evening, decided to
learn the cause of the delay.

TO SPEND XMAS
WITH RELATIVES

Charles T. Dawson, of No. 625
Sixth street, expects to spend
Christmas day with home folks
at Maysville, Ky. It will be the
first time he has spent the holi-
day with his relatives in 15 years
though he has always lived with
them 50 miles of them.

On Business
Dr. J. D. Smith of Peebles, was
in Portsmouth on business, Mon-
day.

The "Hurry-Up"
Point Is Here.

There are but very few days left in which to do your Christ-
mas shopping.

Have YOU done YOUR DUTY by all of your friends?

We wish to extend our usefulness to you at this time—to assist
you in every possible way to make your selections.

GIFTS FOR THE FAMILY

Coffee Percolators
Chafing Dishes
Baking Dishes
Tea Sets
Coffee Sets
Serving Trays
Knives, Forks
And every good form of
Tableware

Water Pitchers
Coffee Urns
Chime Clocks
Book Racks
Fruit Dishes
Vegetable Dishes
Casserolas
Cut Glass Water Sets
And many Table helps in
Rich Cut Glass

Albert Zoellner
JEWELER THIRD AND CHILlicothe

Xmas Gifts
IN
Our Ready-To-Wear
Department

The kind of gifts that always please:

LADIES'	INFANTS'
SUITS	GOWNS
COATS	SKIRTS
DRESSES	DRESSES
APRONS	BOOTES
KNIT SKIRTS	HOODS
SILK PETTICOATS	OAPS
SHIRT WAISTS	COATS
TOP SKIRTS	SWEATERS
KIMONAS	MISSES'
GOWNS	DRESSES
FURS	KIMONAS
RAINCOATS	GOWNS
PRINCESS SLIPS	RAIN COATS
CORSETS	RAIN HATS
CORSET COVERS	AUTO HOODS
AUTO HOODS	SWEATERS
SHAWLS	COATS
FURS	FURS

A. BRUNNER & SONS
202-204 Market St. 909-911 Gallia St.

Have You A Want--Fill It With A Times Want.

FREUND'S
ICE CREAM FOR ME

PLAIN OR IN BRICKS
PURE FRUIT FLAVORS
PHONE 669.
GALLIA AND OFFICE

Russell's Suggestions For Christmas!

At this time of the year when buying articles with which you expect to make friends and relatives happy, it seems that a few suggestions now and then will help you mightily in making the proper choice. Men and young men---and there are no exceptions---are always well pleased, delighted and happy if they receive wearing apparel---something that will add tone to their dress and give them that necessary appearance to make them "away out there."

This year, as never before, we are prepared for the Christmas buying. We selected our holiday goods with the one thought in mind of ordering what the men of Portsmouth would like and admire. Of course, quality is never overlooked at Russell's---all goods must be a little ahead of the standard, and that is the one great reason why the discerning dressers---the men who care---are always proud to wear anything that carries a Russell label. And the customer always knows that he or she has received full value. Glance over the following lists and see if what "HE" most desires is not catalogued.

NECKWEAR COLLARS TIE RINGS
FANCY SHIRTS TIE CLASPS HATS

CAPS UNDERWEAR
SWEATERS MUFFLERS

JEWELRY HANDKERCHIEFS

BATH AND NIGHT ROBES
SUSPENDERS

BELTS
DRESS GLOVES

TRAVELING BAGS
SUIT CASES
OVERCOATS
HOSIERY

J. W. RUSSELL 505 Chillicothe Street

Special Boxes for Christmas

Remember, we have fancy holiday boxes for hose, ties, and handkerchiefs. Also a handsome assortment of Combination Sets—beauties all.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING CONTRACT IS AWARDED

The new Garfield school building which is to contain thirteen rooms and which will be built on the Gullin pile and Mahent Road will be erected by James L. Barnes, a prominent contractor of Logansport, Ind. His bid of \$15,777 was the lowest of the twenty-four submitted to the school board and at their adjourned session Monday night the contract was awarded to Mr. Barnes who arrived in Portsmouth, Monday, from Logansport.

The contract for the plumbing, heating and wiring will not be let for several days. The board took this matter up last night and threshed it out pretty lively, but came to no definite conclusion. Messrs. Stevens and Youngman have submitted the lowest bid for

LABOR COUNCIL HAS A MEETING

The Central Labor Council met in semi-monthly session Monday night, but transacted only a few pieces of routine business. The officers are looking into a complaint filed with them several days ago.

To Install Next Month

At the meeting of Magnolia Lodge K. of P. Monday night, one application was received. At the first meeting in January the annual installation exercises will be held.

Fresh Money in Change.

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The teachers' pay roll amounting to \$8,000.00 was allowed and the teachers will get their pay in time to buy Xmas presents.

In Washington

Attorney Henry T. Bannon left Monday for Washington on a few days' business trip.

Shoppers Coming

All incoming trains on the various railroads running into Portsmouth have brought their full quota of shoppers to the city the past few days, notably buyers having come to realize the importance of Portsmouth as a shopping center. Passenger train No. 8, C. & O., brought 138 shoppers to the city from South Manchester, Concord, Vincennes and intermediate points Tuesday noon.

MR. KINSEY'S FATHER SERVED WITH MOSBY

M. H. F. Kinsey, leader of the Boy Scout work in this community, says all that John S. Mosby wrote about his soldiers in the Civil War being regularly enlisted men and not guerrillas, was charged by a writer in The London Times, is true. Mr. Kinsey is in a position to know as his father,

the late G. T. Kinsey, was a member of the famous band of cavalrymen. "My father served four years with Mosby," said Mr. Kinsey, today, "and they were neither snipers nor guerrillas."

Mr. Kinsey's uncle, Gabe Kinsey was also a member of the famous band.

TAKEN TO THE PEN

Sheriff John Eckhart left early Tuesday morning for Columbus, having in custody R. L. Salter and Charles Copley, whom he will turn over to the warden of the penitentiary. The two men were given indeterminate sentences in that institution after pleading guilty to the charge of burglarizing the Cropper and Abrams saloon on Waller street last August.

Is Honest

Mrs. Minnie Hitchcock while in the Woolworth store several days ago found a package some one had neglected to take with them and she promptly turned it over to the manager of the store that it could be returned to the rightful owner.

FINE COAT FOR "BUSTER"

Richard Applegate treated the boys at Tom Burt's motor boat club to an agreeable surprise. He paid him and made over him the Monday evening when he appeared with a fine sweater for the club unanimously tendered a vote of thanks.

Headquarters For



All of which will make useful

Christmas Gifts

Make the men happy and the boys your everlasting friends by coming to this store and selecting their presents. We are better prepared than ever and every article we handle is of lasting value. Prices consistent with the high class grade of goods we carry. Look over the list.

COMBINATION SAFETY AIR RIFLE

350 shot	\$1.25
500 shot	\$1.50
1000 shot	\$1.75

Daisy Pump Air Rifles \$3

Pop Guns	25c
BOY SCOUT Watches, Hikometers, Axes, Knives.	
Ingersoll Watches \$1.00,	
\$1.50 and \$2.00.	

THE MYSTO ERECTOR, STRUCTURAL STEEL BUILDERS

50c, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00

Ever Ready Flashlights	75c to \$5.00
Xmas Tree Outfits, 8 lights	\$3.00; 16 lights for

\$6.00

Bicycles, Velocipedes, Wagons, Sleds, Ice Skates, Roller Skates, Cyclo Punching Bag Outfits, Punching Bags, Boxing Gloves, Foot Balls, Basket Balls, Spaulding Sweater Coats, Jerseys.	
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JUVENILE GOLF SETS COMPLETE \$5.00

Pocket Cutlery and Razors

Henry Roth

420 CHILICOTHE STREET

Cut Glass, Brass Goods, Chafing Dishes, Casseroles, China, all go at less than factory prices.

J. R. DISTEL
HARRY BALL
RECEIVERS

THE HANSEN
FURNITURE CO.

Seventh and
Chillicothe Sts.

Hip Was Sprained

William Barry slipped and fell on the ice at South Portsmouth Monday spraining his hip. He was on his way to the C. & O. depot to relieve his son Fred Barry at the time.

515 SECOND STREET, WEST. HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! 515 SECOND STREET, WEST.

THE GLOBE SELLING OUT TO QUIT BUSINESS!

3 DAYS MORE AND THE SALE'S OVER.

IF YOU ACT QUICK YOU CAN GET IN ON THE BEST THING EVER OFFERED IN YOUR ENTIRE LIFE.

TAKE WARNING! NO TIME TO LOSE! ONLY A FEW DAYS AND THE SALE'S OVER.

ONLY PART OF
THE STORY CAN
BE TOLD TO-
DAY, SPACE
FORBIDS TELL-
ING IT ALL.

Men's \$8.00 Suits and Overcoats \$3.97

Here men is your golden opportunity. Goodman says quit at any price, that's why these \$8 Suits and Overcoats will be wrapped up for you at \$3.97

MEN'S 75c COAT SWEATERS
AT 34c

Men's heavy cotton Coat Sweaters just the thing for these 34c

Damen's 10c HANDKERCHIEFS
AT 2½c

Fast colored border 10c kerchiefs, hemstitched, large size. To 2½c

MEN'S \$1.50 WOOL SHIRTS 79c

Men's Blue and Grey Flannel Shirts, heavy weight, \$1.50

at 79c

MEN'S 10c WORK HOSE 4c

Never again! Heavy weight Southem cotton Work Hose, grey mixed, seamless. These Work Hose

quit at 4c

MEN'S 15c UNION SUITS 79c

Men's fine Dress Shirts in Percales and Madras, the kind that

always sell at \$1.50. But quit we

must that's why they are 79c

plainly marked

MEN'S 15c HOSE 6c

Men's Hose in all colors, reg.

ular 15c value to quit

MEN'S 15c FOUR IN HANDS 33c

Men's Etern Ribbed Union Suits,

closed crotch military shoulders,

fine filters, this is a cinch. These

\$1.50 Union Suits to quit

79c

MEN'S 20c WORK SHIRTS 34c

Men's half wool Hose that always

sell at 20c. The Globe's Quit.

Price is 9c

MEN'S 20c WOOL SOX 9c

Men's half wool Hose that always

sell at 20c. The Globe's Quit.

9c

MEN'S 25c NECKWEAR 17c

The finest ties in the house in all

the new Silks. In order to quit

buy these 75c Ties at 33c

only

MEN'S 30c DRESS SHIRTS 39c

Neat Black, Blue and Red and

White stripes in dandy dress

shirts. This is a pudding. 39c

75c Shirts

MEN'S SHOE DEPARTMENT

\$3 MEN'S SHOES \$1.97

The best shoes in the house go out

to you at this price, all the new

leather toes and leathers. Made by

the best manufacturers. We have

these in Buttons and Bluchers.

5.00 Men's Shoes to close at

\$2.97

MEN'S \$2.50 WORK SHOES \$1.97

Men's all leather Tan and Black

Shoes, \$2.50 values for only

\$1.97

THOUSANDS OF
GOOD THINGS
NOT MENTIONED
TODAY WILL
BE FOUND ON
SALE.NO. 515 SECOND STREET, WEST
AT THE SIGNS OF YELLOW**THE GLOBE QUILTS****POLLY AND HER PALS****PITY PA CAN'T THINK ALOUD****SPECIAL PRICES FOR THE HOLIDAYS**

1 dozen good Eggs ... 30 and 35c
1 dozen large Oranges 20 and 30c
1 lb. pure Candy ... 10 and 12½c
1 lb. new Nuts ... 10, 15 and 20c
Dressed Chickens ... 18 and 20c
Dressed Turkeys ... 23 and 26c
Good Bacon ... 14 to 16c
Good Flour ... 35, 75 and 80c
Oysters, Celery, Cranberries, Apples, Cabbages, Lettuce, Olives, Pickles, Cakes, Crackers, Cheese, Grapefruit, Grapes, etc.
Give us your grocery orders and save 20c on this dollar.
J. J. BRUSHART
The Cash Grocer

George Watters In City

George Watters, who for several years has been located in Columbus, is in the city to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

Garbage Fire

One of the city's fire engine companies was detailed for duty in extinguishing the fires in the upper Chillicothe street garbage dump Monday afternoon.

Representative-Elect W. R. Sprague while in Columbus several days ago, underwent a nasal operation, which was performed by Dr. A. L. Brown. The operation was a complete success.

Charles F. Turner, 1018 Waller street, has 100 turkeys to sell. Any size you wish. 21-21

BILLY SUNDAY INVITED TO HOLD A REVIVAL IN CIN'TI

Cincinnati, Dec. 22.—Because, in their opinion, Cincinnati needs a revival and needs it badly, ministers belonging to the Cincinnati Presbytery, at a meeting held at the First Presbyterian church, Monday, voted unanimously to urge "Billy" Sunday to come to this city. A petition, signed by the Billy Sunday committee, is to be forwarded to the evangelist, asking that he accept the invitation at the earliest possible time. Four leading ministers were released with regard to the Presbytery. They are the Rev. Dr. Robert Wilson of the Church of the Covenant, Dr. Ira Lambert of

Pleasant Ridge, the Rev. George Gandy, and the Rev. James McNamee of Lebanon.

Brand New Money in Change. Smoke House, 329 Gallia Street, Monday 22nd-Exting. It was received from the State Licensing Commission early Monday morning.

Who Lost A Bicycle?

John Woods, the janitor of the court house, has in his possession a bicycle which he found in the corridor of the court house about ten days ago. The rightful owner can secure his property by properly identifying it.

License Delivered. The liquor licensing board delivered to Messrs. Hoerner and List, the new owners of the Hotel Washington bar, their license to conduct a saloon Monday morning.

Woodmen Circle Have Xmas Tree

Bob Gillilan Home.

Robert Gillilan, traveling salesman for the Excelsior Shoe Company, arrived home Monday afternoon from his fall trip through the southwest in the interests of this firm.

Over 1600 tickets were sold for "The House Next Door," the motion picture film in five reels, shown at the Columbia Theatre Monday evening under the auspices of the Building Trades Council. A neat sum was realized by the organization, while the patrons of the theatre were treated to a performance of unusual merit.

WELL PATRONIZED

Woodmen Circle Have Xmas Tree

Two candidates, Mary Stewart and Sarah Timberlake, were initiated into membership in River City Grove, No. 94, Woodmen Circle, at the meeting held Monday evening in Harugari hall on Gallia street. A real Santa Claus made his appearance at the close of the meeting and distributed presents among the members from the attractively decorated Christmas tree which was sprung as a surprise at the last moment.

Dancing and a social session followed, which proved to be the most enjoyable event since the founding of the Grove a few weeks ago. All the old time dances, including the quadrille and the Virginia Reel, vied with the tango, the one-step, and other modern dances in popularity.

Thoughts FOR THE Tardy Buyer

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S HOUSE SLIPPERS
In Leather and Felt
Silk Hose and Sox,
Supporters, Satin Slippers,
Dress Shoes,
Storm Alaskas and
Rubbers, Overtakers,
Xmas Boxes

FORECAST
Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and Wednesday. River will rise.

H. C. DONNALLY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 9.6 feet and rising here Tuesday morning. Wednesday's packet departs: St. Tacoma for Pomeroy at noon; St. Greenleaf for Cincinnati at noon. The Pittsburgh towboats James Moreau and Tom Dodsworth, who found an ice harbor here, have left, the former getting away Monday evening and the Dodsworth early Tuesday morning.

DON'T BE AFRAID
to give something useful, it will be remembered much longer.

Baker's
The Sleepless Shoeman

845 GALLIA ST.

CHEAP CLOTHING

Owing to the many urgent calls for clothing our Mission store will be open all day tomorrow.

In our clothing department may be found stocks of second hand clothing, much of it good as new.

We have enlarged our clothing rooms and put in new counters. This enables us to display our goods to a much better advantage than before.

All who are in need of cheap clothing will do well to call tomorrow.

J. E. DIBERT.

RAILROAD MERGER

(Continued from Page 1.)
tending from Buffalo to Chicago, with branches to Detroit, Grand Rapids, Fort Wayne, Oil City and other cities.

The entire capital of the Lake Erie, Alliance and Wheeling Railroad company, the Lake Erie, Alliance and Wheeling company, the Toledo and Ohio Central Railroad and the Chicago, Indiana and Southern is said to be owned by the Lake Shore road.

While the Big Four has been operated on an independent basis since May 1, 1914, the Lake Shore is said to retain control of a majority of the Big Four capital stock.

Other Heavy Holdings

Other holdings of the Lake Shore are: majority of the capital stock of the Nickel Plate, Lake Erie and Western and the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie; jointly with the Michigan Central, the entire capital stock of the Battle Creek and Sturgis railway, the Detroit, Toledo and Milwaukee railroad and the majority of the Indiana Harbor belt railroad, and jointly with the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, the entire capital stock of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport and Youngstown railroad company. In January, 1903, the Lake Shore and the Baltimore and Ohio acquired a substantial interest in the capital stock of the Reading company. Figures for the period ended December 31, 1912, show that the Lake Shore owned Reading stock valued at \$30,332,500, divided thus: \$6,005,000 first preferred, \$14,375,000 second preferred and \$8,000,000 common.

The Lake Shore late yesterday filed a deed of record here to the Central Trust company and G. F. Littleton, trustee, of New York, securing an issue of \$100,000,000 twenty-five per cent gold bonds, covering all equipment, real estate etc. It is dated July 1, 1914. This is one of the first legal steps taken in conjunction with the merger.

Xmas Specials AT Hibbs!

Aluminum Roasters, regular \$2.50 value, sale price \$1.89

Aluminum Percolator, regular \$2.50 value, sale price \$1.87

Aluminum Sauce Pans, regular \$1.00 value, sale price 39c

1 pint Aluminum Cup, regular 15c value, sale price 9c

Gem Jr. Safety Razor, with 8 blades, regular \$1.00 value with 7 blades, sale price (including extra blade) 79c

We only have a limited amount of these specials. First come first served.

Open every night till Xmas

The Hibbs Hardware Co

"SAVE THE DIFFERENCE"

Sixth Street. Opposite the Post Office

How Many People Will You Make Happy On Christmas?

Happiness is the greatest gift which Christmas brings, and it is so easy to carry happiness to everybody that knows us.

Often the simplest and most inexpensive gift carries a delightful message of good will and friendship.

Send as little as you will; but send SOMETHING to all.

Our store is filled with attractive and desirable things, and the gift you seek may cost as little as you desire.

The beautiful and elaborate things are here, as well as the serviceable and practical gifts.

Here also are the toys and trinkets that bring joy to the hearts of the little folks.

But there is not a day to be lost if Christmas is to be comfortable for you and happy for your household and friends.

Start making your selections tomorrow morning before the last rush and hurry begins.

Attractive Gifts in Toilet Goods

Some of the most pleasing articles that we could offer for the Christmas stocking are supplied by the Toilet Goods section. What could carry the Christmas sentiment more delightfully than a bottle of exquisite perfume? And if beauty is to be combined with utility, here are attractive varieties of combs and brushes, clothes brushes, traveling cases, manicure sets, and a multitude of other desirable gift things.

THE CHRISTMAS GLOVES

Here is a simple and satisfactory answer to the Christmas problem. A pair of gloves in a holiday box provides a charming gift for man, woman or child. Always suitable, always useful; and if you do not know the size, they can always be exchanged by the person receiving them.

The Anderson Bros Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

Pipes Burst See Walters Plumbing Co.

adv

220 CHILLI THE SALVAGE 220 CHILLI

Is the store to save your long green on Christmas needs. Mr. Dollar Bill is sure some powerful gentleman here. The windows tell a story you might think was fiction if we told you all about them. They have some drawing power; just take a look. The inside then for you sure enuf.



TONIGHT
Klaw & Erlanger Present
"The Wages of Sin"
A Powerful Dramatic Offering

WEDNESDAY
ALICE JOYCE AND
TOM MOORE
"The Price of Silence"
FULL ORCHESTRA
THURSDAY
"MASKS AND FACES"
A Biograph Special Feature
A Dramatic Masterpiece

FRIDAY--CHRISTMAS
'The Bond Eternal'
A Dramatic Masterpiece

A GOOD
SHOW
EVERY DAY

Temple Theatre Lane and O'Dell THE SONGSTERS

TONIGHT	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
"MEXICAN SNIPPERS REVENGE"	"WHAT THE GODS DECREED"	"IN SEARCH OF THE CASTAWAYS"	"SISTER TO CARMEN"	"PERLIS OF PAULINE"

EXHIBIT TONIGHT ZUDORA

WEDNESDAY
In Search of The Castaways
6 ACTS

Unable To Agree On Baucus Reward

County Commissioners William Bennett and J. J. Spencer have looked horns in the matter of offering a reward for the capture and conviction of the murderer of the late James A. Baucus, N. & W. detective, a few weeks ago. Spencer is in favor of making the reward \$500, while Bennett refuses to go over \$200. The former says he will favor nothing less than \$500, so no action was taken Monday afternoon.

Sheriff Eckhart recently requested the commissioners to offer a reward, giving as his reason that it would stimulate the search for Baucus' murderer. The third member of the board, Daniel Egbert, was not present at the meeting, and his views on the matter are not known by his colleagues on the board.

Mrs. Graham Gets Divorce

Judge Thomas, Tuesday afternoon, awarded a decree of divorce to Ivy Graham from her husband, William Graham, on the grounds of extreme cruelty and gross neglect. The couple were married October 2, 1911, when the bride, who is a native of Ironton, was only 16 years of age.

Fresh Money in Change, Smoke House, 829 Gallia Street, Andy 22-362-2x

Promised To Pay

H. T. Hatton recovered judgment for \$39 and costs on a promissory note for that amount from Arthur Hamilton, colored, better known as "Seven Webster," in Squire Flimley's court, Tuesday afternoon. Hamilton confessed judgment, and promised to pay the debt by weekly payments.

Discredit Story

The police have heard nothing further from Huntington regarding John James Hall, who is held there as a suspect, and discredit the accusation against him.

DR. W. E. GAULT
Office Treatment of
Rectal Diseases

733 SECOND STREET
TELEPHONE 77

Special On Lard

50-lb. Bucket \$5.40

All pure hog lard

People's Cash Store
1026 GALLIA

PHONE X 1530

ness trip to Kenova.

J. S. Earce, N. & W. master mechanic, was in Columbus Saturday on company business.

Saturday was the biggest passenger day on the N. & W. since October 1st. Extra coaches will be run on all passenger trains until after the Christmas holidays. Christmas travel this year is unusual heavy.

W. P. Harris, N. & W. engineer of the Kenova district, is suffering with several frozen toes.

The Terminal school rooms are being decorated for the Christmas program, which is to be given Wednesday afternoon, when the school is dismissed for the Christmas holidays.

There were 118 in attendance at the Tadornick Sunday school Sunday. As Christmas time draw nears, the attendance is rapidly increasing.

Harry K. McHenry, N. & W. train dispatcher, was working as extra man in the dispatcher's office Saturday.

Mrs. Harmon Veneer, of Gallia pile, is slowly recovering from an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. S. R. Dovel, of Ironton, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Veneer, on the Gallia pile, Sunday.

Frank Jackson, N. & W. assistant yardmaster, is banding out the eights. A Christmas gift in the form of a 7 1/2 pound girl arrived at his home, 1314 McConnell avenue, Monday.

W. H. Frazier, N. & W. training auditor with offices here, is in Indianapolis on business.

W. M. Jaynes, N. & W. relief agent, filling the place of E. F. Parker at Ashville, O., Burke filled the position of agent for 18 years.

Jaynes will fill the office until a permanent successor is appointed.

A second hearing crowd is

told for in the lobby of the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening, when the Columbia quarter will render a fine program.

John Dove, a passenger on N. & W. train No. 3 Saturday, had a finger on his left hand badly mashed when the shirt not caught in the door of a cabin. Company Physician J. W. English was on the train and was called to dress the injured finger and Dove would not let the doctor attend to him and continued to Kenova. Dove is a laborer and a resident of W. H. Hanson.

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